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ABSTRACT

R&D Data Bases in an on-line version on the Defense Gateway Computer System (hereafter the Gateway), a study was undertaken to identify the searching requirements of existing and potential users. The terms "user-friendly interface," "natural language front-end processor," and "expert system" are defined. The procedure followed in conducting the study is described. Results of the study are presented along with a recommendation for an interface to be incorporated into the Gateway for searching the on-line version of the directory.

INTRODUCTION

As technology advances and systems and methods of information retrieval become more and more complex, there arises a greater need to simplify the searching of data bases so that the users of the information can do their own searching. An interface can be described as "a hardware/software layer that can be interposed between users and a database system" to simplify the process of searching the data base or data bases. Its purpose is to act as an intermediary to assist users in accessing and searching heterogenous retrieval systems.

As the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC) develops new means to access heterogenous data bases (the Defense Gateway Computer System), the need for an interface also becomes apparent.

The Defense Gateway Computer System (hereafter the Gateway), now in test phase, is being developed to provide on-line access to data bases of interest to the DoD RDT&E community. At the time this paper is being written, the Gateway can access the Defense RDT&E On-line System (DROLS), NASA/RECON, DOE/RECON, DIALOG and other data bases. The <u>Directory of DoD-Sponsored R&D Data Bases</u> (hereafter the directory) will be made available for searching on the Gateway, as will some of the data bases described in the directory. The directory, in on-line version, will be called the Data Base of Data Bases. The abstract from DD Form 1473 describes the directory as follows.

The <u>Directory of DoD R&D Data Bases</u> is a listing of DoD's R&D data bases. Each entry contains information such as the data base name, dates of coverage, points of contact, hardware/software configuration, and a description of the data base. Agency, data base, and subject indices are provided. The subject coverage includes meteorology, weapon systems, hazardous materials, medicine, oceanography, antennas, survivability, reliability, and chemistry.

PURPOSE OF STUDY

In anticipation of the implementation of the directory in an on-line version on the Gateway, the purpose of this study will be to identify the searching requirements of existing and potential users of the directory. These requirements will suggest specifications for an interface to be incorporated into the Gateway system for searching the Data Base of Data Bases.

BACKGROUND

Interfaces have been developed to make searching of data bases easier for the user of the system. Several kinds of searching obstacles may be overcome by the addition of an appropriate and useful interface, for example, choosing the correct data base, connecting to a communication network, connecting and logging on to a data base, communicating with the data base in its native language and understanding the replies from the data base. If information is sought from more than one data base, an important function of an interface identified by Lancaster and Smith is "to shield users from the incompatibilities that exist among various systems and data bases."

In his 1978 article, Charles Goldstein noted that "different user classes are identified (professional intermediary searchers, casual infrequent users, etc.) but different classes of users are not, by and large, reflected in the actual user interface." The users of a data base may be members of a heterogenous population with a variety of searching needs. It is important, when developing an interface, to keep these searching needs in mind. An interface should not be developed which is more sophisticated than the potential user population requires. For those reasons the interface which will be developed to search the on-line version of the directory - the Data Base of Data Bases - on the Gateway should include features which have been identified as necessary by the potential users of the Data Base of Data Bases. This study will report the results obtained from actually contacting a sample group of these users.

The results of this study will suggest what type of interface will be most effective for the Data Base of Data Bases on the Gateway, and what features it

should include. These features will be compared to features of four existing interfaces: CONIT (Conversion for Network Information Transfer), a user-friendly interface for searching commercial on-line bibliographic data bases developed by Dr. Richard Marcus at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; ASSIST, a more sophisticated version of CONIT, which includes some expert system features, also developed by Dr. Marcus; FRED (a FRont End for Data Bases), a natural language front-end processor developed by Dr. Gabriel Jakobson at GTE; and CITE (Current Information Transfer in English), a natural language front-end processor with some expert system capabilities developed to search the MEDLINE data base by Dr. Tamas Doszkocs at the National Library of Medicine.

A number of articles have been written that describe these four interfaces in considerably greater detail. For example, Marcus describes the philosophy, design, and implementation of his experimental interface called CONIT, and evaluates the concept and its effectiveness. Crystal and Jakobson's article defines the concept and functions of FRED, the interface they developed at GTE. A natural language interface to MEDLINE, called CITE by its developers, is described in detail by Doszkocs and Rapp Marcus describes EXPERT, an earlier version of ASSIST, as a computer intermediary system which simulates an expert human information specialist.

Artificial intelligence has been proposed as a possibility for making on-line systems available to a wider range of people. Smith 10 presented this idea as early as 1980. Other authors who suggest expert systems that can be used as on-line search intermediaries are DeJong 11, Obermeier and Cooper 12, Pollitt 13, and Walker and Janes 14. Yaghmai and Maxin 15 present a state-of-the-art overview of expert systems, how they work and their uses in the library/information science field.

DEFINITIONS

Before a detailed description of this study can begin, a few terms must be defined and some features must be described. The terms to be defined are: user-friendly interface, natural language front-end processor, and expert system.

<u>User-friendly interface</u> - While there is no consensus in the field, for the purposes of this study a "user-friendly interface" is defined as one which makes a data base easy to use by any user. A user-friendly interface includes features which allow a system to be used by a heterogenous user population. For example a user-friendly interface may include a common command language, a series of menus from which to choose actions, or a help feature in which the system will explain in greater detail a segment of the search process if asked.

An example of a user-friendly interface is CONIT, developed by Dr. Richard Marcus at MIT. CONIT incorporates a common command language for searching different commercial on-line bibliographic data bases which normally have different languages and protocols. CONIT also provides extensive instructional dialogue for the inexperienced searcher.

Natural language front-end processor - A natural language front-end processor is a type of interface that can be inserted into a data base system between the data base and the user. It can accept natural English language queries, compensate for spelling errors, unknown words and partial sentences, and respond with natural English language output.

An example is FRED, a natural language front-end processor developed by Dr. Gabriel Jakobson at GTE. "User queries and commands are routed to FRED which sets up appropriate data base connections and makes necessary language translations so that different data bases all have uniform appearance to the user." 16 FRED accepts English language queries and compensates for any input errors.

A natural language front-end processor may also include a knowledge base containing the content and vocabulary of the specific subject area it was designed to interpret. Thus, it could "understand" the context of a query. An example of such an interface is CITE, a natural language front-end processor developed for searching the MEDLINE data base by Dr. Tamas Doszkocs at the National Library of Medicine. CITE is based on the Medical Subject Headings (MeSH) vocabulary, which is a controlled hierarchical vocabulary. A linkage capability exists from the text words in a query to appropriate MeSH headings, thus allowing English language query input. Other features of CITE include ranked output, which is the display of retrieved documents in order by degree of satisfaction of the user query, and relevance feedback, which is the provision of the text words and MeSH headings under which the documents were indexed. 17

Expert system - An expert system is an application of artificial intelligence that can be used to solve problems that would otherwise require human intervention to apply reasoning and experience. An expert system for information retrieval would have some knowledge of the task domain--on-line searching of data bases--and would perform the reasoning processes of a specialist in the task.

An expert system consists of a data base, a rule base and a rule interpreter.

- The <u>data base</u> is a term for the working memory where factual information is stored.
- 2. The <u>rule base</u> or <u>knowledge base</u> is a file of judgemental rules applicable to a specified set of problems; the rules are obtained from human experts. These rules are also known as heuristics.
- 3. The rule interpreter or inference engine applies the rules in the rule base to the facts stored in the data base. 18

The single most important feature that characterizes an expert system is its ability to make decisions and reveal the logic it followed in making those decisions. Thus, an expert system could provide answers to a query in an on-line bibliographic data base by giving "detailed information on documents, including why they were retrieved." Such "relevancy judgments" can also aid in refining search strategy by "finding new good search terms or emphasizing the importance of terms already in use." 20

In order to design an expert system for on-line searching, it would be necessary not only to identify what a human expert searcher needs to know to be an expert searcher, but also to apply this expertise. Since no one has yet been successful in passing this expertise on to a machine, no expert system for on-line searching of data bases exists. But a few interfaces now in development do possess some expert system features.

For example, CITE will rank retrieved records according to their relevancy, and it will suggest related terms so that a search can be expanded to find other items that contain terminology similar to the selected citations. ASSIST, a more sophisticated version of CONIT also developed by Dr. Marcus, includes some features of an expert system. ASSIST questions the user to refine and reformulate a search strategy, and it displays the process it followed to obtain the search results.

METHODOLOGY

The plan for this study was to contact a sample group of people who were familiar with the directory to ask them how they used the print directory, and try to determine their searching requirements for an on-line version of the directory.

A questionnaire was used to gather this information. This instrument was chosen to define and standardize the information that would be gathered. This standardization served to increase reliability and facilitate analysis of the results. It was decided that telephone interviews would be used to gather participant responses rather than mailing out the questionnaires, because the results needed to be gathered within a limited time frame. The advantages of the telephone interview are rapid completion with a high response rate.

Due to the length and complexity of the questionnaire and the short time frame in which the study was to be completed, it was decided that a copy of the questionnaire would be sent to each participant on the list along with a memo explaining the purpose of the study. The participants were then contacted by telephone with the questionnaire serving as a script. This method of direct contact allowed for a standardized questioning of each participant. The participants had the opportunity to be prepared ahead of time and had time to think about their answers. If the participants had any questions, they could easily be answered by the interviewer.

PROCEDURE

SELECTION OF POTENTIAL PARTICIPANTS

A list of potential study participants was compiled. This list appears in Appendix B. The list was compiled in the following way.

A total of 39 people were invited to participate in the study. Twelve people who are presently Gateway users were chosen because of their familiarity with the Gateway. They were contacted and a copy of the directory was sent to them if they did not yet have a copy. Eight individuals from organizations with listings in the directory were chosen because the contact person was known to have an interest in the Gateway. They had been sent copies of the directory as a result of being listed in it. Ten individuals from organizations which participate in the Shared Bibliographic Input Network (SBIN) were chosen because of a demonstrated interest in new technologies. The contact persons of these ten organizations were also on a list of those who had requested and been sent a copy of the directory. Finally nine individuals from miscellaneous organizations were chosen to question because the contact person was known to have an interest in the Gateway and/or the directory. These individuals were also on the list as having requested and received a copy of the directory.

PROCEDURE

CONSTRUCTION OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE

The questionnaire was compiled by a committee consisting of the author, and committee members, Carol Jacobson, Marjorie Powell, Marcia Hanna, and Gladys Cotter. The final version of the questionnaire which was used in this study appears in Appendix A.

Questions number 1-7 were designed to inform the prospective participant of the purpose of the telephone call and to determine if and when the person was willing to participate.

Question number 8 is self-explanatory. Question number 9 served to differentiate those participants who were librarians and probably did on-line searching of data bases for other people. Questions number 10-12 were answered only by this group. Those participants who answered No to question number 9 were assumed to be end users who probably did on-line searching of data bases for their own purposes, or did not do any on-line searching at all. Questions number 13-17 were answered only by this group.

Question number 18 identified those participants who presently used the directory; question number 20 identified those participants who would be using the directory in the future. The description of the directory in question number 18 was quoted directly from the abstract of the DD Form 1473 for the directory.

Question number 19 identified the indices most consulted by the present users of the directory.

Question number 21 indicated whether participants felt they would still need the directory in hard-copy if it were available on-line.

Question number 22 provided the number of people who would be using the on-line version of the directory when it became available.

The information in the description of the Gateway was taken from the Research and Development Project Summaries, October, 1984, issued by the Defense Technical Information Center, Office of Information Systems and Technology.

Question number 23-24 identified those who would be doing the actual searching of the on-line version of the directory.

Question number 25 was directional. Question number 26 was designed to ascertain whether a substantial number of end users might do their own searching of the on-line version of the directory if it was easy to use.

Question number 27 indicated how participants were likely to use the on-line version of the directory and what kinds of information they would be using the directory for. The fields in the directory in questions number 27 and 30(b) were quoted from the Guide to Data Base Entries (page v) in the directory. Any additional fields not included in the present version of the directory which participants felt would be useful were identified by questions number 28 and 29.

Question number 30 identified the fields which participants felt they did not need to see displayed. Any additional fields not included in the present version of the directory which participants felt they would like to see displayed were identified by questions number 31 and 32.

The list of features (questions number 33-60) which could be included in the on-line version of the directory was gathered from articles describing ASSIST, CITE, CONIT and FRED. Other features which the committee felt would be useful in an interface for the directory were added to the list drawn from the journal articles.

Additional searching requirements not mentioned in questions number 33-60 which the participants felt they would need for searching an on-line version of the directory were identified by questions number 61 and 62.

The questionnaire was designed to gather more information than was necessary for this study. Although all the results are presented in this report, only the results to questions number 34-60 are analyzed in order to make a recommendation. The purpose of this study was to define user searching requirements for the <u>Directory of DoD-Sponsored R&D Data Bases</u>, however, some of the data bases described in the directory will also be available on-line eventually, and accessible through the Gateway. An interface will then be necessary for cross-searching these data bases. At that point, information on searching requirements would again have to be gathered, probably from the same sample group of participants. The additional information gathered in this study and presented but not analyzed in this report will be used at a later date.

A draft version of the questionnaire was pretested on 3-4 January 1985 with two DTIC employees under conditions similar to those in which the study would be conducted. Suggestions for changes were made by the respondents and these changes were incorporated by the author into the final version of the questionnaire. Copies of the questionnaire were mailed to participants on 7 January 1985. The telephone interviews were begun on 11 January 1985 and concluded on 25 January 1985.

PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

Some problems encountered with specific questions in the questionnaire are as follows.

Question number 8, "Approximate number of people in organization", was meant to indicate, in the case of librarians, the number of people working in their library. Unfortunately some participants misunderstood, and answered question number 8 with the number of people in their building, organization, base, etc. The data collection was partially completed before this misunderstanding was realized, so the responses for this question are not included in the results.

Question number 31 repeats question number 28. In order to fit into the questionnaire better, question number 31 should read, "Are there any additional fields which you would like to display in the on-line version?"

Question number 33 caused some confusion. Some of the participants thought that the interface which could include the features indicated would be used to search only the on-line version of the directory. The paragraph in the questionnaire describing the Gateway (between questions number 22 and 23) states that "Some of the data bases described in the directory will be accessible through the Gateway." Question number 33 should probably have said something to the effect that the features would be included in an interface that would be used to search the data bases on the Gateway as well as the directory. The confusion, when it occurred, was noticed and corrected before the questionnaire was completed; it is not likely that the results were affected.

RESULTS

Of the 39 people asked to participate in this study, 32 (82%) completed the questionnaire (see Appendix A). From this group, 23 people (71.8%) identified themselves as a member or supervisor of the library staff in question number 9.

Results of questions number 9-12 pertaining to this group of participants are shown in Tables 1-3.

The responses to question number 10 are shown in Table 1. The number of individuals doing on-line searching of data bases is divided into categories (i.e., 1-3, 4-6). The number of responses is recorded under these categories.

TABLE 1

INDIVIDUALS DOING ON-LINE SEARCHING OF DATA BASES

Number of individuals	1-3	4-6	7-9	over 9
Number of responses	8	10	4	1

The responses to question number 11 are shown in Table 2. The most frequently searched data bases are listed in the left column. The number of participants searching these data bases is recorded in the column under Responses. The percentage of the total group (23 people) indicating that they searched that particular data base is included in the right column.

TABLE 2

DATA BASES SEARCHED MOST FREQUENTLY

Data Bases	Responses	<u>%</u>
DROLS	23	100%
DIALOG	17	74%
OCLC	12	52%
BRS	10	43.4%
NASA/RECON	8	34.8%
ORBIT	7	30%

NOTE. -- Other data bases searched included: in-house data bases, intelligence data bases, Chemical Abstracts, DoE/RECON, International Data Bases, NEXIS, FAXON, and MEDLINE.

The responses to question number 12 are shown in Table 3. The hardware available to the participants of this group are listed in the left column. The number of No responses is listed in the next column. The number of Yes responses to question number 12 is divided into categories by how many of each type of hardware was available to the participant.

TABLE 3
HARDWARE USED

	No		Yes		
		1	2	3	over 3
Dedicated terminals	3	9	5	3	3
Dial-up terminals	2	11	4	1	4
Communicating microcomputers	16	4	1	0	3
Dedicated microcomputers	20	1	0	0	2

Of the 32 people who completed the questionnaire, 9 (28%) responded with a No to question number 9, and were thus directed to question number 13. Results of questions number 13-17 pertaining to this group of participants only are shown in Tables 4-5.

The responses to question number 13 are shown in Table 4. Participants described their work by more than one of the terms in most cases.

TABLE 4
END USER OCCUPATION

	No. Responses	
Planner	6	
Marketer	3	
Scientist or Engineer	5	
Scientist or Engineer	5	

Note. -- Other occupations included: operations manager, program manager, economist, management, programmer, consultant, technical information specialist.

In response to question number 14, seven members of this sample group of nine (77.7%) did their own on-line searching.

In response to question number 15, four participants searched DTIC's on-line data bases; two participants searched DIALOG. Other data bases searched included: LEXIS/NEXIS, BRS, CIRC, Defense Manpower Data Center, Defense Resources, Inc., NASA/RECON, Aerospace Daily, Dow Jones, robotics data bases, management data bases, standards data bases, and directives data bases.

The responses to question number 16 are shown in Table 5. The hardware available to the participants of this group are listed in the left column.

The number of No responses are listed in the next column. The number of Yes responses to question number 16 are divided into categories by how many of each type of hardware was available to the participant.

TABLE 5
HARDWARE USED

	No		Yes		
		1	2	3	over 3
Dedicated terminals	5	3	0	0	0
Dial-up terminals	4	12	0	1	1
Communicating microcomputers	3	3	0	1	1
Dedicated microcomputers	6	1	0	0	1

No responses to question number 17 were recorded.

The responses to questions number 18-62 presented here reflect the group of participants as a whole (32 people).

In response to question number 18, 13 participants (40.6%) stated that they presently used the directory.

For those who used the directory, in response to question number 19, indices used are shown in Table 6. Participants indicated that they used more than one index in most cases. The indices are listed in the left column. The number of participants using each index is recorded in the column under Responses. The percentage of the total group (13 people) indicating that they used that particular index is included in the right column.

TABLE 6
INDICES USED

	Response	<u>%</u>	
Data Base Index	12	92.3%	
Organization Index	11	84.6%	
Subject Index	13	100%	

In response to question number 20, all 32 participants expected to use the directory in the future.

In response to question number 21, 25 participants (78%) replied that they would still need the hard copy version of the directory if it were available on-line.

In response to question number 22, 30 participants (93.7%) replied that their organization would use the directory if it were available on-line and accessible through dial-up terminals.

In response to question number 23, 28 participants (87.5%) replied that they would be the ones searching the directory on-line on the Gateway. Of the group of participants who replied No to question number 23, three participants would want someone to search the directory for them. One participant replied that he would rather use the directory in paper form, but would use the Gateway to search the data bases themselves if they were available on-line.

Those participants who identified themselves as members or supervisors of a library staff (see question number 9) were asked to respond to question number 26. Twelve participants (50%) replied that they thought their library users and/or researchers would use the on-line version of the directory if it

were easy to search. Ten participants (41.6%) replied No to question number 26, and two participants (8.3%) replied that they were not sure. Those participants who replied that their library users and/or researchers would not do their own searching of the directory gave the following reasons:

-Their library was not set up to handle end-user searching.

-The library could afford only a limited number of terminals and there were not enough for the public.

-They believed that their library users/researchers would rather have someone else do their searches.

The responses to question number 27 are shown in Table 7. One participant chose not to respond to question number 27. Fields in the directory are listed in the left column. The number of participants who indicated that they would not search a particular field is recorded in the middle column next to the field along with the percentage of the total group responding (31 people). The number of participants who indicated that they would search a particular field is recorded in the column to the right of the field along with the percentage of the total group responding (31 people).

TABLE 7

FIELDS IN THE DIRECTORY MOST LIKELY TO BE SEARCHED

	No	%	Yes	%
Data Base Name	4	13%	27	87%
Acronym	3	9.7%	28	90%
Update frequency	15	48%	16	51.6%
Beginning date	16	51.6%	15	48%
Ending date	14	45%	17	54.8%
Size	18	58%	13	41.9%
Data Base Producer Name	4	13%	27	87%

TABLE 7--Continued

	No	%	Yes	%
Data Base Producer Address	18	58%	13	41.9%
Data Base Producer Contact	11	35.5%	20	64.5%
Data Base Distributor Name	11	35.5%	20	64.5%
Data Base Distributor Address	22	71%	9	29%
Data Base Distributor Contact	16	51.6%	15	48%
Data Base Generator Name	11	35.5%	20	64.5%
Data Base Generator Address	24	77.4%	7	22.5%
Data Base Generator Contact	19	61.2%	12	38.7%
Availability	9	29%	22	80%
Descriptors	0		31	100%
Data Base Type	9	29%	22	80%
Code Character Set	23	74%	8	25.8%
Density	28	90%	3	9.7%
Number of Tracks	28	90%	3	9.7%
Labeled	28	90%	3	9.7%
Programming language	20	64.5%	11	35.5%
Computer	19	61.2%	12	38.7%
Storage Media	23	74%	8	25.8%
Input Media	24	77.4%	7	22.5%
Output Media	21	67.7%	10	32.2%
Documentation	19	61.2%	12	38.7%
Classification Restrictions	7	22.5%	24	77.4%
Abstract	Ó	-	31	100%
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In response to question number 28, six participants indicated that there are additional fields they would like to see included in the on-line version. These fields included:

- -A sampling of the data.
- -Other users of the data base.
- -Cost to purchase or search the data base.
- -Availability of the data base for purchase or lease.
- -Operating system used in the data base.
- -Software used in the data base.
- -Inclusion of foreign source material, and from which countries.

In response to question number 30(a), ten participants (32.2%) replied that there are fields in the directory that they would not want to display. The responses to question number 30(b) are shown in Table 8. The fields that these participants did not want to display are listed in the left column. Participants indicated more than one field that they did not want to display in most cases. The number of responses for each field is recorded on the right under Responses.

TABLE 8
FIELDS PARTICIPANTS DID NOT WANT TO DISPLAY

Field	Responses
Density	8
No. of Tracks	8
Labeled	8
Code Character Set	7
Programming Language	6
Computer	6
Storage Media	6
Input Media	6
Output Media	6
Documentation	3
Data Base Type	2
Data Base Dist. Address	2
Data Base Dist. Contact	2
Data Base Prod. Address	1
Data Base Prod. Contact	1
Data Base Dist. Name	1
Data Base Gener. Name	1
Data Base Gener. Address	1
Data Base Gener. Contact	1

In response to question number 31, four participants indicated that there are additional fields they would like to display. These fields included:

- -More descriptors.
- -Working paragraph on purpose of data base.
- -Operating systems used in the data base.
- -Software used in the data base.
- -Cost.
- -Availability of the data base for purchase or lease.
- -Descriptor terms other than DRIT terms if the vocabulary used is controlled.

One participant commented that he would like a choice of fields that can be displayed each time the directory is searched.

The responses to questions number 34-60 are shown in the form of stacked bar graphs on the pages that follow (Figures 1-27). For each graph, the Y axis represents the number of responses for that feature. The X axis represents each option in the scale on which participants were asked to rank the features. On the scale of 1 through 5, a 1 meant the feature was not useful, a 2 meant the feature was somewhat useful, a 3 meant the feature was neither not useful nor essential, in other words, the participant was indifferent, a 4 meant the feature was very useful, and a 5 meant the feature was essential. Intermediary responses are represented by the cross-hatched area; end user responses are represented by the clear area on each bar graph. 21

Histograms generated by the SPSS Batch System illustrating responses to questions number 34-60 are included in Appendix C. Cross-tabulations generated by the SPSS Batch System for these questions are included in Appendix D.

In response to question number 61, eight participants indicated that they had additional requirements which they would like to see included in the on-line version of the directory. These requirements were:

- -A menu of help features.
- -An on-line tutor.
- -The ability to reformat the order in which items in the record are displayed.
 - -Color graphics.
 - -Sort procedures.
 - -A limiting feature.
 - -The option to display, order or print off-line.
 - -Selective dissemination of information.
 - -Full-text capabilities.
- -Ability to access the directory on a dedicated rather than a dial-up terminal.
 - -A cost statement at the end of each file searched.
 - -Classified access.

Figure 1. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Minimum Amount of Keyboarding" in answer to question number 34 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them.

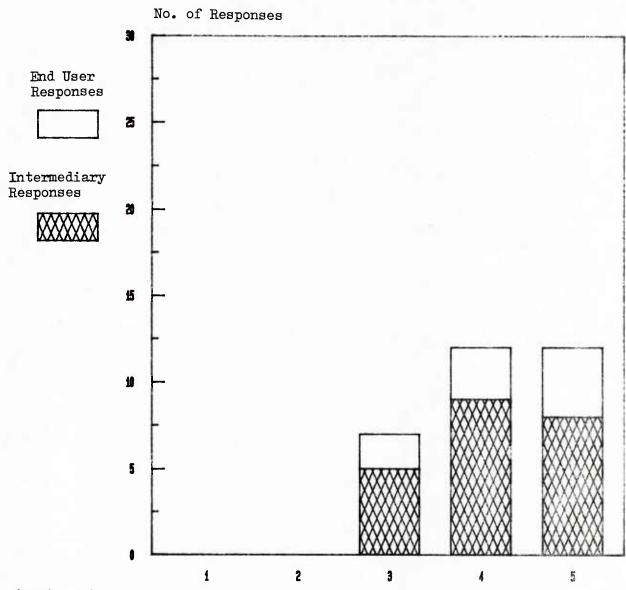


Figure 2. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Choice Between Commands or Menus" in answer to question number 35 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them, except for a few end users who were indifferent, and one intermediary who ranked this feature as not useful.

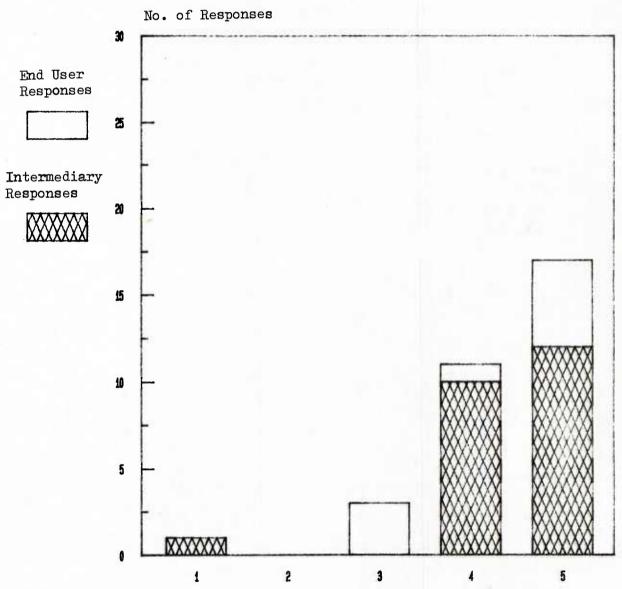


Figure 3. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Command Driven Only" in answer to question number 36 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being not useful or somewhat useful to them, or else they were indifferent. A minority of the participants ranked this feature as very useful or essential to them.

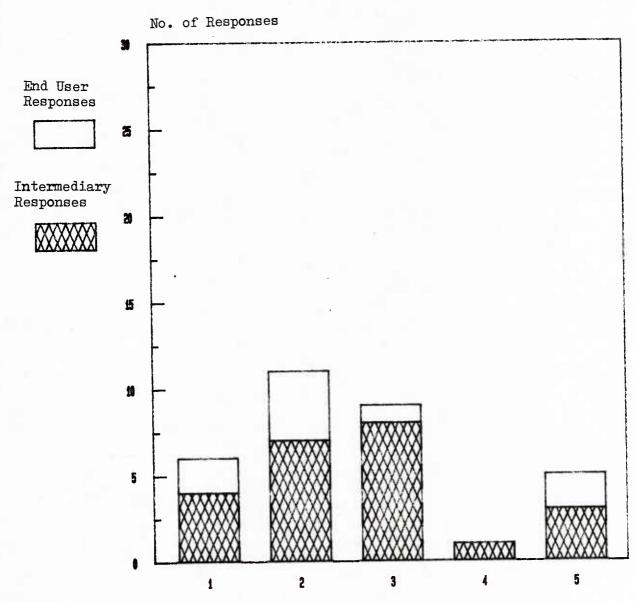


Figure 4. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Menu Driven Only" in answer to question number 37 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.

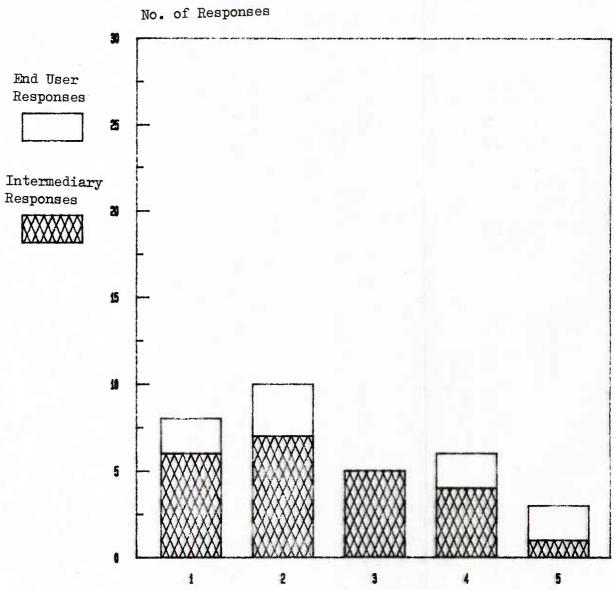


Figure 5. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Common Retrieval Language" in answer to question number 38 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them. A few participants in both categories were indifferent about this feature. A few end users ranked this feature as not useful to them.

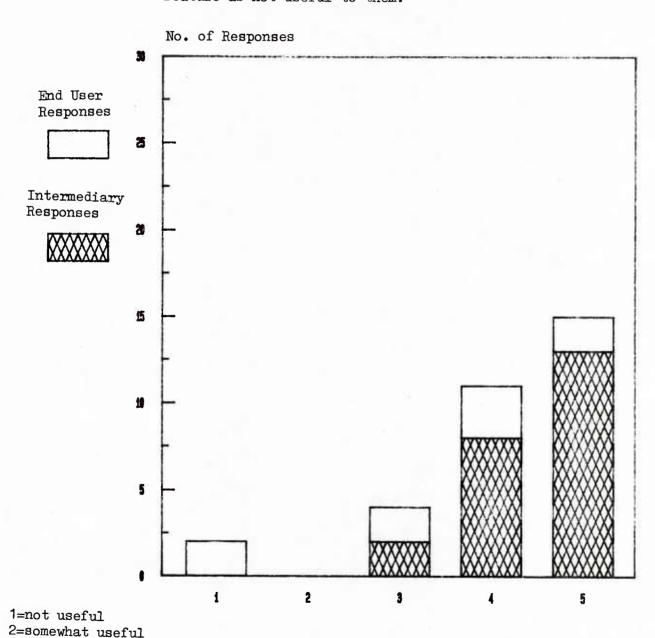


Figure 6. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Accepts User-Defined Commands" in answer to question number 39 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.

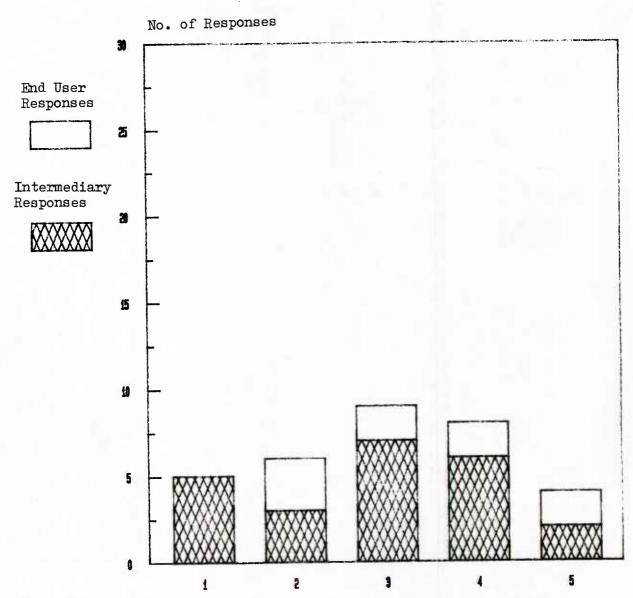


Figure 7. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "User Chooses Command Language" in answer to question number 40 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A majority of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them. A majority of the participants who were end users were indifferent about this feature.

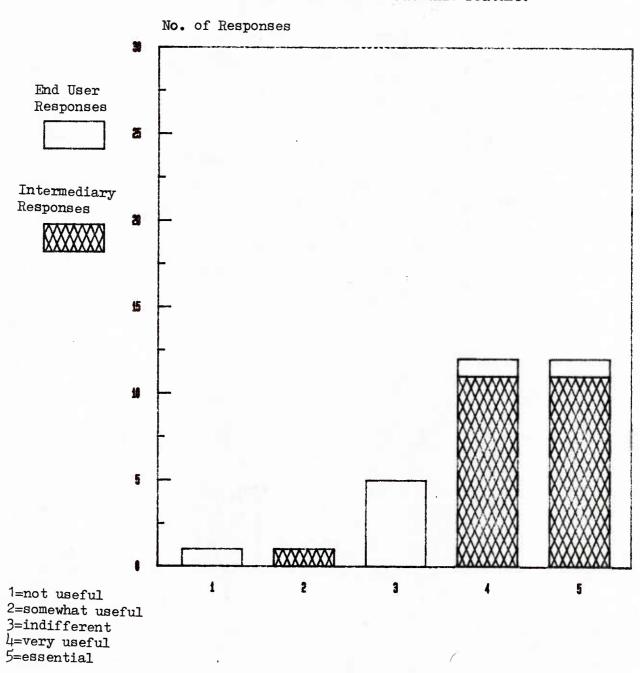
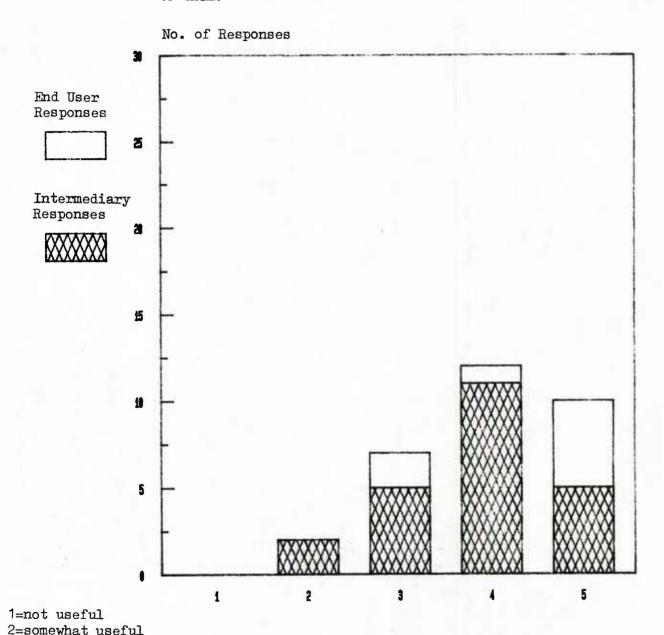


Figure 8. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Choose Among Levels of Expertise" in answer to question number 41 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A majority of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being very useful to them, but a substantial number of the intermediaries ranked this feature as being essential to them, or they were indifferent. A majority of the participants who were end users ranked this feature as being essential to them.



3=indifferent 4=very useful 5=essential

Figure 9. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Accepts Natural English Language" in answer to question number 42 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.

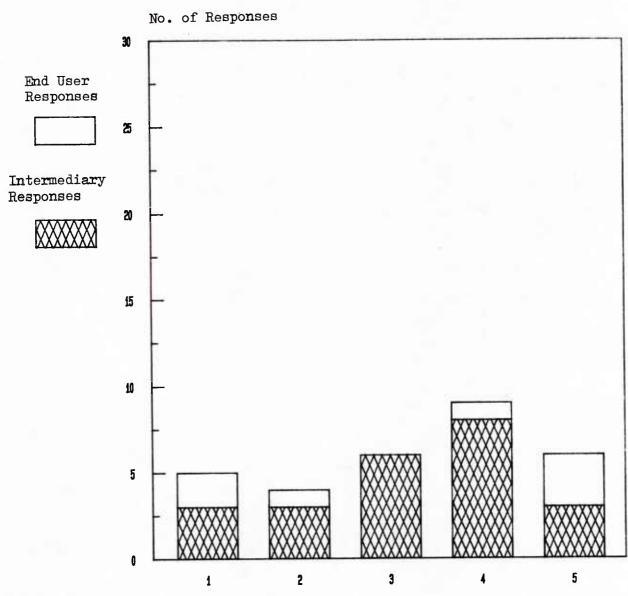
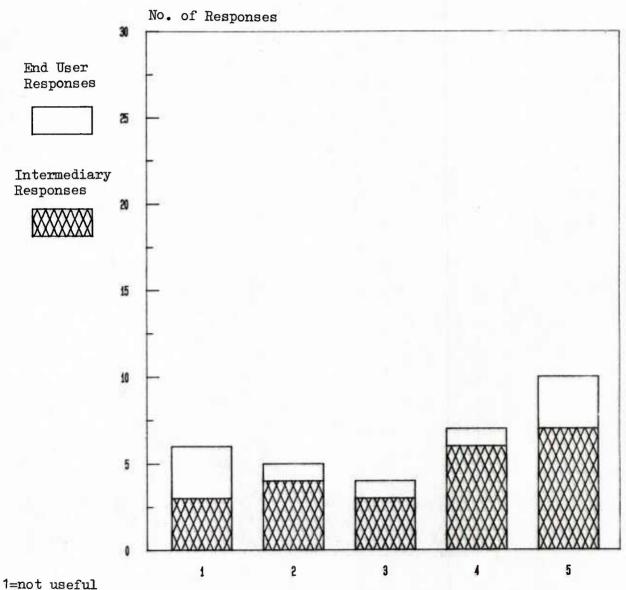


Figure 10. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Compensates for Spelling Errors" in answer to question number 43 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.



2=somewhat useful 3=indifferent 4=very useful 5=essential Figure 11. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Questions to Formulate Search Strategy" in answer to question number 44 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.

No. of Responses

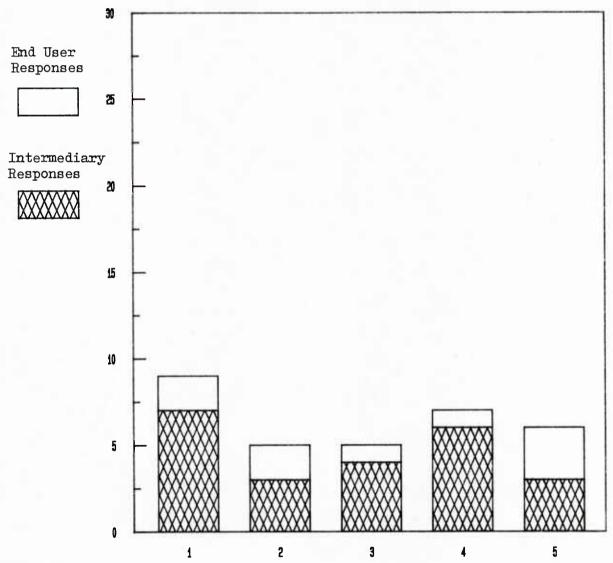


Figure 12. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Suggests Related Terms" in answer to question number 45 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being essential or very useful to them.

No. of Responses

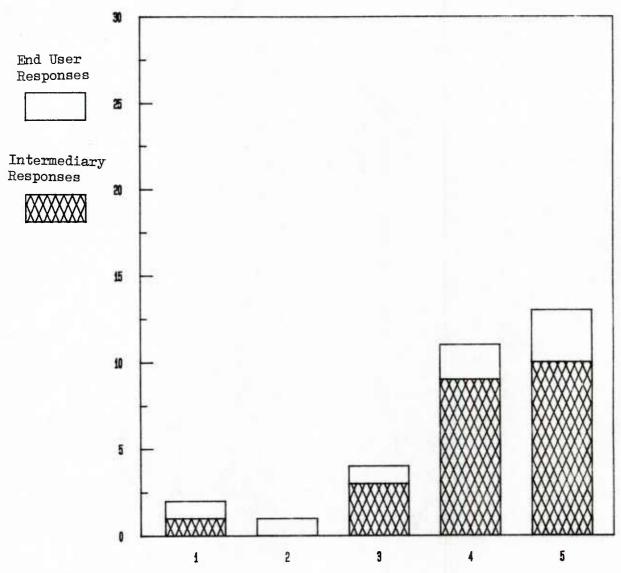


Figure 13. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Gives Feedback on Search Strategy" in answer to question number 46 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A majority of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them. A majority of the participants who were end users were indifferent about this feature or else they ranked this feature as being somewhat useful or essential to them.

No. of Responses

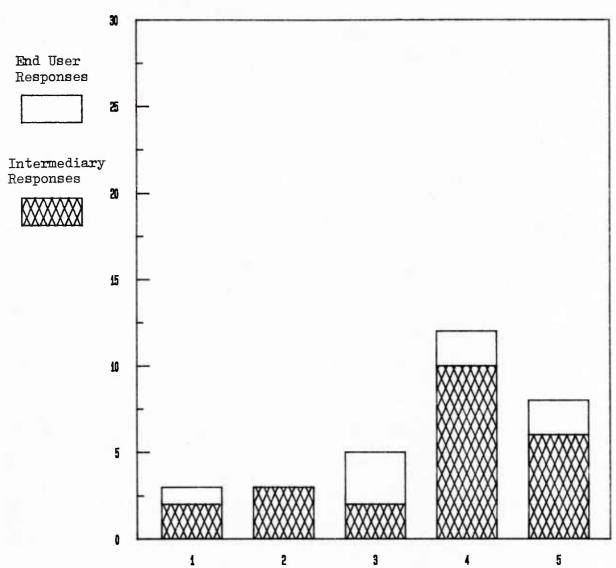


Figure 14. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "System or User Selects Data Base" in answer to question number 47 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A majority of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being either very useful or essential to them. A majority of the participants who were end users ranked this feature as being essential to them or being very useful to them or else they were indifferent.

No. of Responses

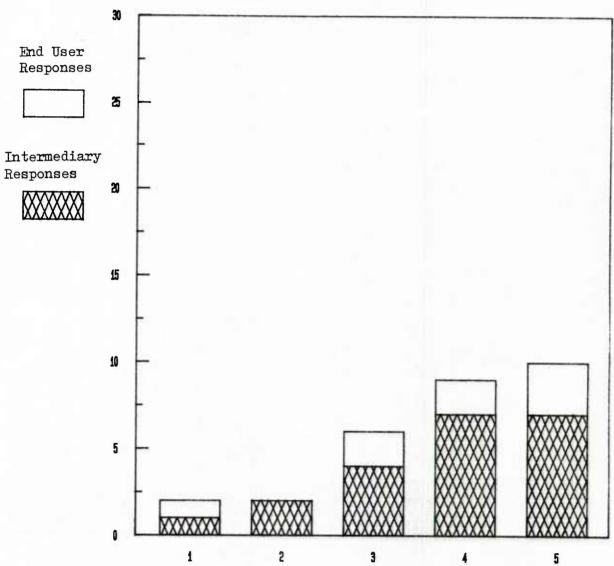


Figure 15. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "System Chooses the Data Base" in answer to question number 48 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A majority of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being not useful to them.

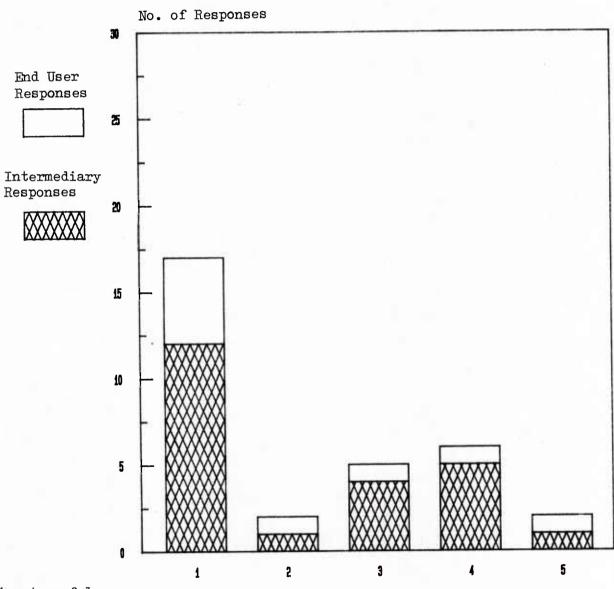


Figure 16. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Displays Process It Followed" in answer to question number 49 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. A large number of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being essential to them.



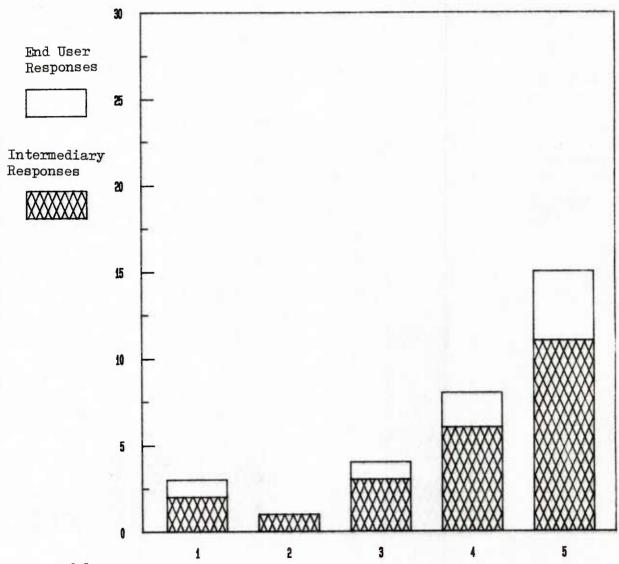
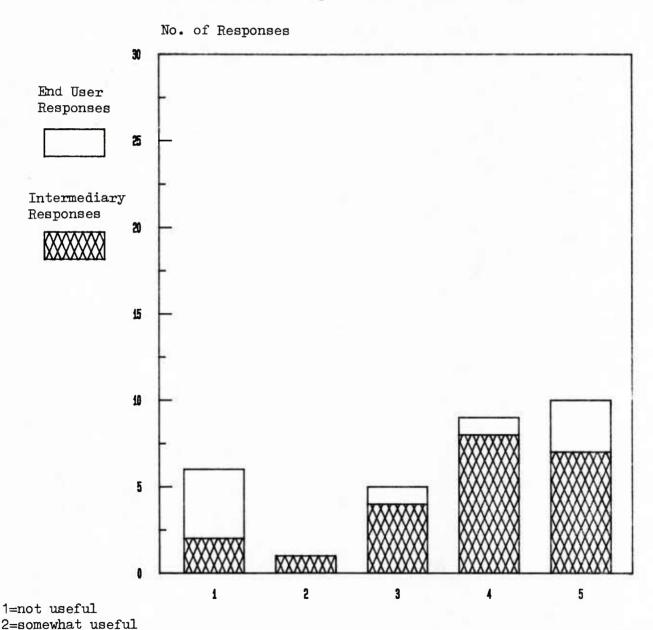
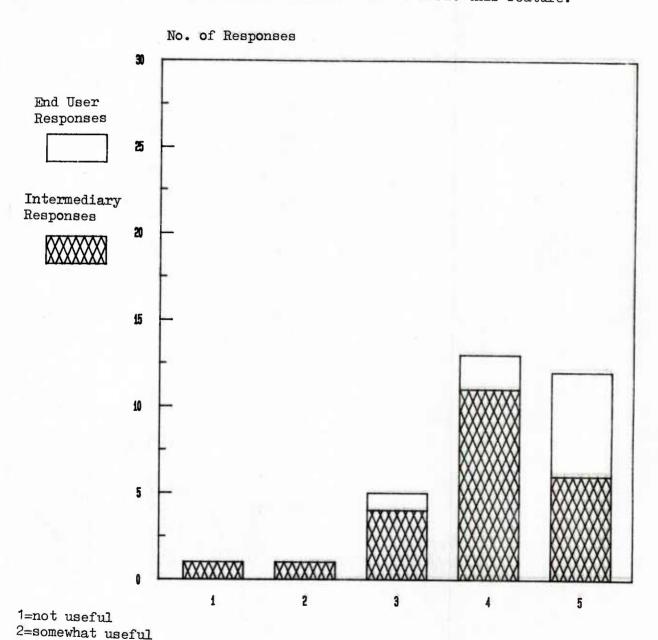


Figure 17. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Ranks Retrieved Results for Relevancy" in answer to question number 50 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being either very useful or essential to them. A substantial number of participants who were intermediaries were indifferent about this feature. Most of the participants who were end users ranked this feature as being either not useful or essential to them.



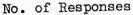
3=indifferent 4=very useful 5=essential

Figure 18. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Explains User Errors" in answer to question number 51 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them. A substantial number of participants who were intermediaries were indifferent about this feature.



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3=indifferent 4=very useful 5=essential Figure 19. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Includes a Help Feature" in answer to question number 52 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them. A substantial number of participants who were intermediaries were indifferent about this feature.



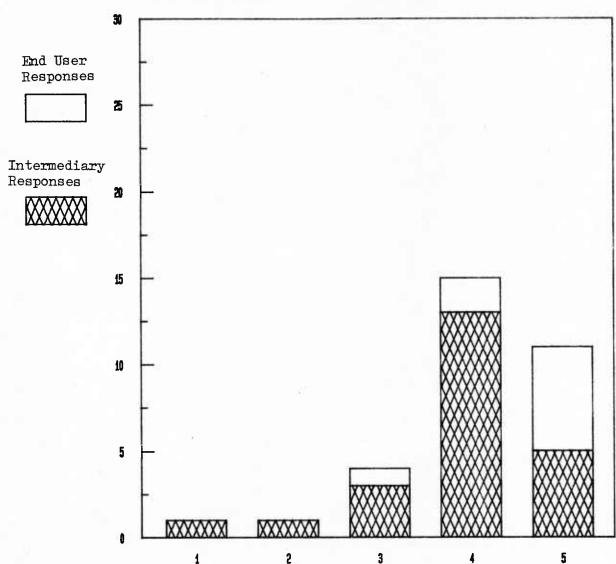
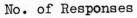


Figure 20. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Stores Search Strategy" in answer to question number 53 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being essential to them.



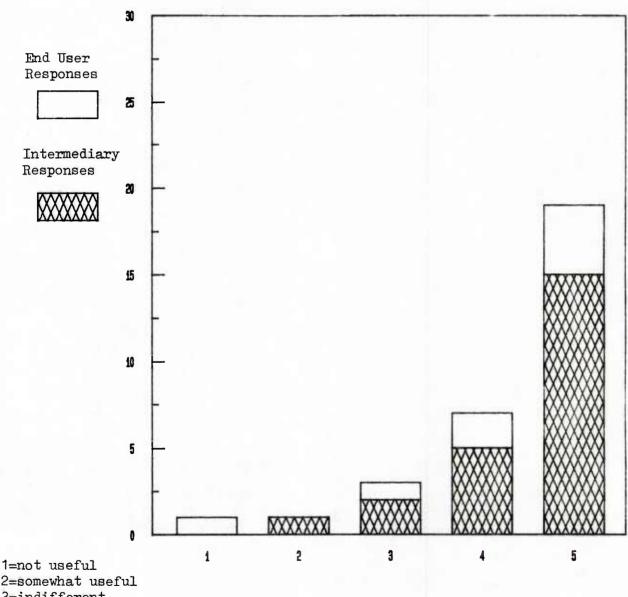


Figure 21. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "User Can Define Output Formats" in answer to question number 54 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants who were intermediaries ranked this feature as being essential to them. Most of the participants who were end users ranked this feature as being either essential or very useful to them.



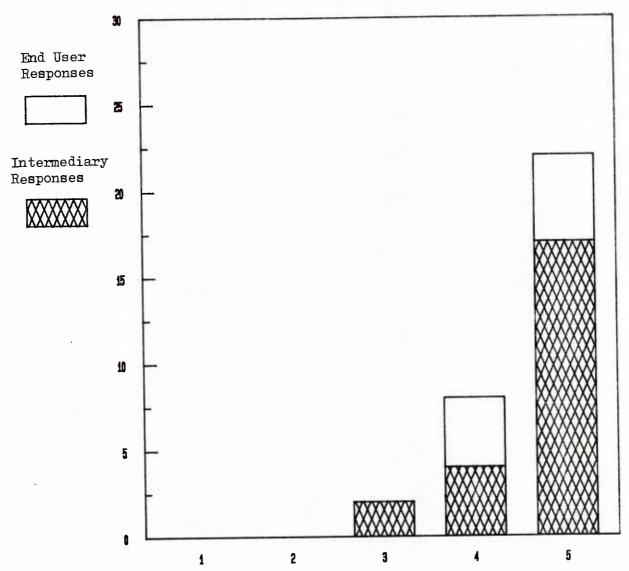


Figure 22. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Stores User-Defined Formats" in answer to question number 55 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them.

No. of Responses

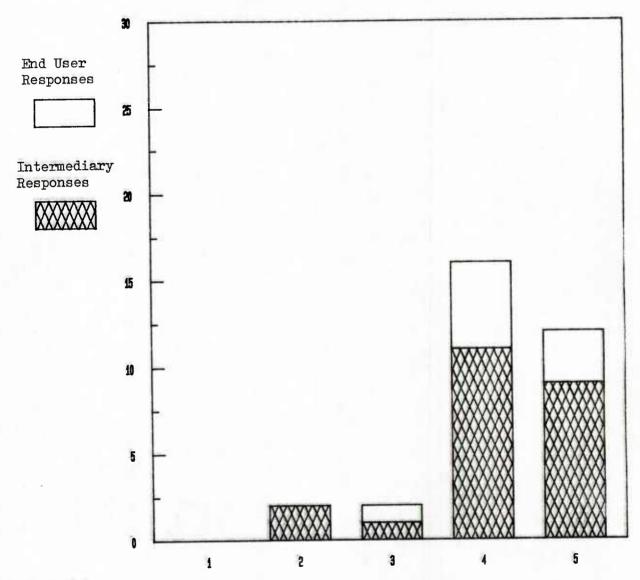
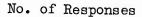


Figure 23. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Has Menu of Canned Formats" in answer to question number 56 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being very useful or essential to them.



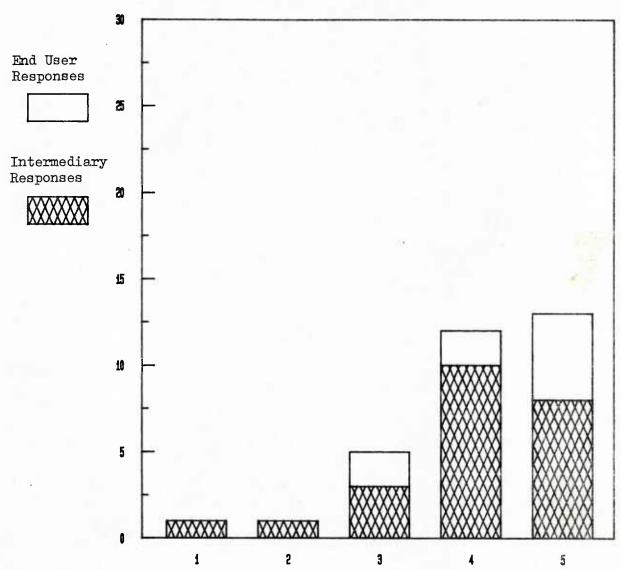
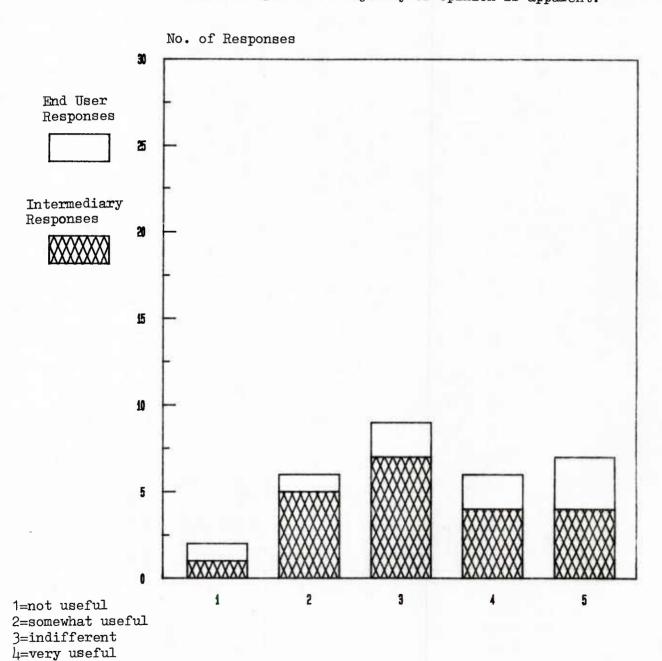


Figure 24. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Allows User to Create Charts" in answer to question number 57 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.



5=essential

Figure 25. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Allows User to Create Graphs" in answer to question number 58 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Participants ranked this feature across the scale; no significant majority of opinion is apparent.

No. of Responses

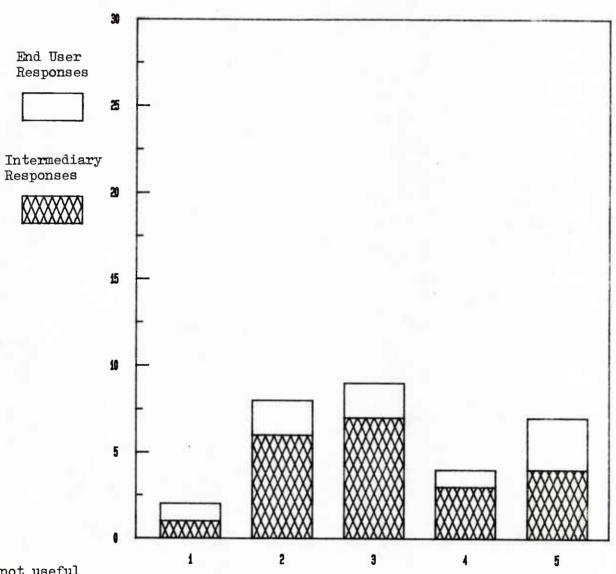
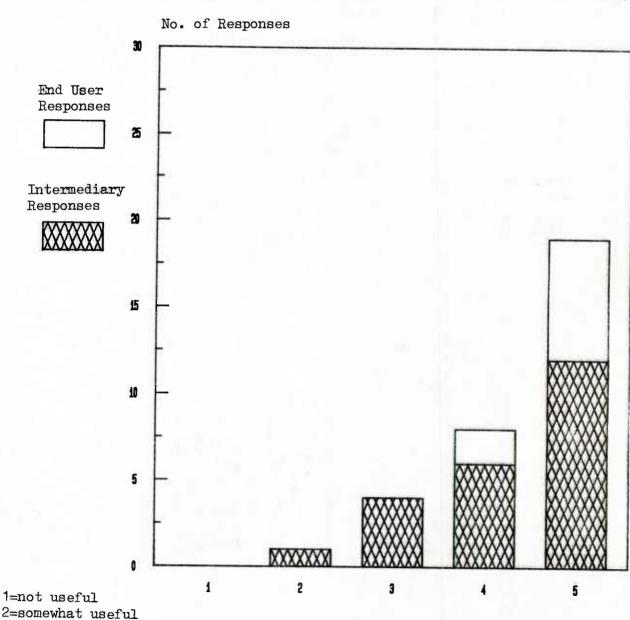
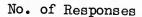
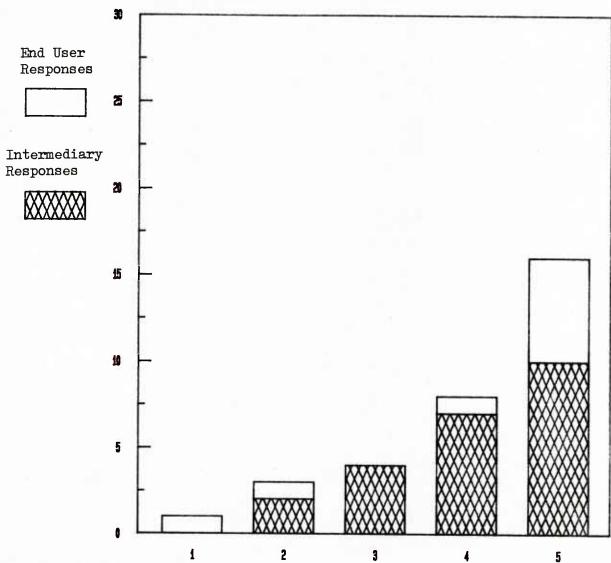


Figure 26. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Allows User to Download Information" in answer to question number 59 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being essential to them.



3=indifferent 4=very useful 5=essential Figure 27. Participants' ranking on a scale of 1-5 of the feature "Allows User to Reformat Information" in answer to question number 60 of the questionnaire. The Y axis represents the number of responses. The X axis represents each option in the scale 1-5. Most of the participants in both categories ranked this feature as being essential or very useful to them.





DISCUSSION OF SIGNIFICANT GRAPHS

In a large number of the stacked bar graphs (Figures 1-27), intermediaries' and end users' responses appeared to be similar, for example, if a majority of the intermediaries' responses in ranking a particular feature were in the positive range of the scale, a majority of the end users' responses in ranking the same feature were also in the positive range of the scale. Some of the intermediaries' and end users' responses did not appear similar, but the differences may not be significant.

In order to determine if there were any features with a significant difference between the way intermediaries and end users ranked the feature, a chi-square test was done using the SPSS Batch System. This chi-square rest calculated the independence of the two variables-intermediaries and end users. The chi-square statistic was also converted to a probability statistic by SPSS called the significance level. The significance levels are included with the chi-square values for each feature in the cross-tabulations in Appendix D.

Those relationships between variables which are accepted for this study as statistically significant have a .05 probability of occurring by chance. The .05 significance level means that there is a 5% possibility that the variables are unrelated except by chance.

When the value of .05 was used as a comparison, three of the 27 features had a significance level less than .05. These three features were then assumed to have a significant level of difference between the way intermediaries and end users ranked the features. These three features were:

Feature Number 35-Choice Between Commands or Menus (significance level=.0182) (see Figure 28),

Feature Number 38-Common Retrieval Language (significance level=.0530, which is above but very close to .05) (see Figure 29), and Feature Number 40-User Chooses Command Language (significance level=.0001) (see Figure 30).

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ETA = .08563 WITH COMENU DEPENDENT.
PEARSON'S R = -.08563 SIGNIFICANCE = .3206

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         COL PCT IIARY
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              8 ( 75.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0.
   6 OUT OF
MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281
                               3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .0182
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                10.04335 WITH
CRAMER'S V = .56023
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                                                                              OEPENOENT.
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                                                            .33333 WITH USER
LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .12500
                                                                       = .28206 WITH USER
                                                                                             OEPENOENT.
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                                                     OEPENOENT.
UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .20594
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KENDALL'S TAU C = -.07422.
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GAMMA = -.13869
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OEPENOENT.

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 INDIFFERENT
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                I 25.0 I 9.4 I
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 ESSENTIAL
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                I 56.5 I 22.2 I
                I 40.6 I 6.3 I
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         COLUMN
                                    32
          TOTAL
                  71.9
                          28.1
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PEARSON'S R = -.48386 SIGNIFICANCE = .0025

8 (75.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. 6 OUT OF MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = RAW CHI SQUARE = 7.68543 WITH CRAMER'S V = .49007CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .44007 OEPENOENT. LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .05882 WITH COMRET DEPENDENT. = .22222 WITH USER LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .11538 **OEPENOENT.** UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .10559 WITH COMRET DEPENDENT. .20534 WITH USER UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .13946 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.38702. SIGNIFICANCE = .0110 KENOALL'S TAU C = -.39453. SIGNIFICANCE = .0110 GAMMA = -.66013 = -.30699 WITH USER OEPENOENT. SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.48792 WITH COMRET OEPENOENT. SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.37687≈ .49007 WITH USER OEPENOENT. ETA = .48386 WITH COMRET OFFENDENT.

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        TOTAL
               71.9
                      28.1 100.0
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8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 22.93076 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .0001 CRAMER'S V = .84651CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .64610 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .25000 WITH CHOCOM DEPENDENT. = .77778 WITH USER DEPENOENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .41379UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .29935 WITH CHOCOM DEPENDENT. 63791 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .40748 KENOALL'S TAU B = -.54691. SIGNIFICANCE = .0005 KENOALL'S TAU C = -.57422. SIGNIFICANCE = .0005 GAMMA = -.79459SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.71014 WITH CHOCOM = -.42120 WITH USER OEPENOENT. **OEPENDENT.** SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.52878ETA = .58509 WITH CHOCOM DEPENDENT. = .84651 WITH USER OEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.58509 SIGNIFICANCE = .0002

DISCUSSION OF USER-DEFINED REQUIREMENTS

The results to questions number 34-60, features which could be included in the on-line version of the directory, were analyzed in order to identify the user-defined requirements for searching the on-line version of the directory on the Gateway.

The features were ranked in order of preference by the participants in the study as follows. All responses were counted and assigned point values: The number one responses were assigned the value -2, the number 2 responses were assigned the value -1, the number 3 responses were assigned 0 points, the number 4 responses were assigned the value +1, and the number 5 responses were assigned the value +2. The responses under each number in the scale were multiplied by the point values assigned and a total was computed for each feature. The total for each feature was the score assigned to that feature.

Seventeen "no opinion" responses were recorded (1.96%) and no feature received more than 3 "no opinion" responses. It is assumed that anyone who gave a "no opinion" response had implied, "I don't care". They could not have intended, "I don't know," since the responses were gathered over the telephone, and any questions participants had could be easily answered. Therefore, in this study, the "no opinion" responses were treated as 3's and assigned 0 points. They were not reflected in the bar graphs, since they were non-responses. The results were tabulated using the 98% responses which reflected opinions.

Table 9 lists the features in the order they are in the questionnaire.

The score for each feature is in the right column.

The features were then assembled in descending order from highest score to lowest score. In this way, those features with the most responses in the upper end of the scale were weighted, and the scores for those features were highest, thus identifying them as the most desirable features to the participants of the study.

Table 10 lists the features in descending order. The score for each feature is the number in parentheses after the feature. A "Yes" is recorded in the column under an interface if the interface possesses the feature in that row. A "No" means the interface does not possess the feature in that row.

The presence or absence of features in each of the four interfaces compared in Table 10 was verified in conversation by telephone with Dr. Tamas Doszkocs (CITE), ²² Dr. Richard S. Marcus (ASSIST and CONIT)²³ and Dr. Gabriel Jakobson (FRED). ²⁴

TABLE 9
FEATURES AND SCORES

FEATURE NO.	FEATURE	SCORE
34	Minimum Amount of Keyboarding	36
35	Choice Between Commands or Menus	43
36	Command-Driven Only	-12
37	Menu-Driven Only	-14
38	Common Retrieval Language	37
39	Accepts User-Defined Commands	0
40	User Chooses Command Language	33
41	Choose Among Levels of Expertise	30
42	Accepts Natural English Language	7
43	Compensates for Spelling Errors	10
44	Questions to Formulate Search Strategy	-4
45	Suggests Related Terms	32
46	Gives Feedback on Search Strategy	19
47	System or User Selects Data Base	23
48	System Chooses the Data Base	-26
49	Displays Process it Followed	31
50	Ranks Retrieved Results for Relevancy	16
51	Explains User Errors	34
52	Includes a Help Feature	34
53	Stores Search Strategy	42
54	User Can Define Output Formats	52
55	Stores User-Defined Formats	38

TABLE 9--Continued

FEATURE NO.	FEATURE	SCORE
56	Has Menu of Canned Formats	35
57	Allows User to Create Charts	10
58	Allows User to Create Graphs	6
59	Allows User to Download Information	45
60	Allows User to Reformat Information	35

FEATURES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE BY THE USERS AND COMPARED TO THE FOUR INTERFACES

10.	FEATURE (SCORE)	ASSIST	CITE	CONIT	FRED
54.	Allows User to Define Output Formats (52)	Yes	No	Yes	No
59.	Allows User to Download Information (45)	Yes	No	Yes	No
35.	User Chooses Between Commands or Menus (43)	Yes - both at same time	No	No	Yes- Choice between natural languag & menu
53.	Stores Search Strategy for Later Use (42)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
55.	Allows Storage of User-Defined Formats (38)	No	No	No	No
38.	Common Retrieval Language (37)	Yes	No	Yes	No
34.	Minimum Amount of Keyboarding (36)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
56.	Has a Menu of Canned Formats (35)	No	No	No	No
60.	Allows User to Reformat Information (35)	No	No	No	No
51.	Explains User Errors (34)	Yes	Yes - hard to make errors	Yes	Yes
52.	Includes a Help Feature (34)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
40.	User Chooses Command Language (DROLS, DoE, NASA) (33)	Yes	No	Yes	No

TABLE 10

TABLE 10--Continued

NO.	FEATURE (SCORE)	ASSIST	CITE	CONIT	FRED
45.	Suggests Related Terms (32)	No	Yes	No	Yes
49.	Displays Process it Followed to Obtain Results (31)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
41.	User Chooses Among Levels of Searching Expertise (30)	No	No	No	Yes
47.	Choice Between System or User Selecting Data Base (23)	No	Yes	No	Yes
46.	Gives Feedback on Search Strategy to Improve It (19)	Yes	Yes-also accepts user feed- back	Moderately	Yes
50.	Ranks Retrieved Results According to Relevancy (16)	No	Yes	No	No
43.	Compensates for Spelling Errors (10)	No	No-detec- tion, not correction	No	Yes
57.	Allows the User to Create Charts (10)	No	No	No	No
42.	Accepts Natural English Language (7)	No	Yes	No	Yes
58.	Allows User to Create Graphs (6)	No	No	No	No
39.	User-Defined Commands (0)	No	No	No	No
44.	Questions User to Formulate Search Strategy (-4)	Yes	No	No	No
36.	Command-Driven Only (-12)	Yes	No	Yes	No
37.	Menu-Driven Only (-14)	Yes	Yes	No	No
48.	System Chooses the Data Base (-26)	No	No	No	No

TABLE 10--Continued

NO.	FEATURE (SCORE)	ASSIST	CITE	CONIT	FRED
45.	Suggests Related Terms (32)	No	Yes	No	Yes
49.	Displays Process it Followed to Obtain Results (31)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
41.	User Chooses Among Levels of Searching Expertise (30)	No	No	No	Yes
47.	Choice Between System or User Selecting Data Base (23)	No	Yes	No	Yes
46.	Gives Feedback on Search Strategy to Improve It (19)	Yes	Yes-also accepts user feed- back	Moderately	Yes
50.	Ranks Retrieved Results According to Relevancy (16)	No	Yes	No	No
43.	Compensates for Spelling Errors (10)	No	No-detec- tion, not correction	No	Yes
57.	Allows the User to Create Charts (10)	No	No	No	No
42.	Accepts Natural English Language (7)	No	Yes	No	Yes
58.	Allows User to Create Graphs (6)	No	No	No	No
39.	User-Defined Commands (0)	No	No	No	No
44.	Questions User to Formulate Search Strategy (-4)	Yes	No	No	No
36.	Command-Driven Only (-12)	Yes	No	Yes	No
37.	Menu-Driven Only (-14)	Yes	Yes	No	No
48.	System Chooses the Data Base (-26)	No	No	No	No

CONCLUSIONS

Based on the participants' ranking of features and comparison to the four interfaces in Table 10, it was hoped that one of these four interfaces would stand out as being the most effective interface for searching the on-line version of the directory on the Gateway. The process followed to arrive at a conclusion is described here.

If a score of 30 is used as a cut-off point, a line can be drawn on Table 10 under Feature Number 41. This will distinguish the top 15 user-defined requirements for an interface for the directory on the Gateway. Next, all the yes responses are counted for each interface compared on Table 10 for these top 15 features; ASSIST has 10 yes responses, CITE has 4, CONIT has 9, and FRED has 8.

CITE is rejected first, because it has only 4 of the top 15
user-defined requirements for an interface. Also, only one of these four
requirements can be considered unique to CITE, and that is Feature Number 45
- Suggests Related Terms.

The feature which is most unique to FRED is Feature Number 42 - Accepts Natural English Language. This feature received a score of 7, which places it fairly low in the ranking. Most of FRED's other features in the top 15 are also shared by some of the other interfaces. Therefore, FRED is rejected at this point.

CONIT and ASSIST have many features which are ranked high in the list of top 15 user-defined requirements. These features include: Feature Number 54 - Allows the User to Define Output Formats, Feature Number 59 - Allows the User to Download Information, Feature Number 53 - Stores Search Strategy for

Use, Feature Number 38 - Uses a Common Retrieval Language, Feature Number 34 - Minimum Amount of Keyboarding, Feature Number 51 - Explains User Errors, Feature Number 52 - Includes a Help Feature, Feature Number 40 - User Chooses a Command Language, and Feature Number 49 - Displays the Process It Followed to Obtain Results.

A requirement for an interface ranked highly by the users was a common retrieval language (Feature Number 38) or a command language chosen by the user (Feature Number 40). One of CONIT's unique characteristics is a simple, easy-to-learn command language that can be used to search all the data bases. ASSIST is an enhanced version of CONIT which allows the user to use commands and menus at the same time. (This requirement - Feature Number 35 - was ranked 3rd by the participants of the study with a score of 43.)

Both ASSIST and CONIT have been developed by Dr. Richard S. Marcus at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). CONIT is a user-friendly on-line search assistance intermediary that allows for a minimum amount of keyboarding, extensive instructional dialogue, and uses a common command language to aid in searching a number of commercial on-line bibliographic data bases. ASSIST is a new version of CONIT "designed to integrate the best features of standard CONIT...as well as some newer ideas," which include leading a user through the entire search process by a question and answer dialogue with a menu format, an on-line tutorial to introduce the user to CONIT commands, and the option of ASSIST executing CONIT commands for the user or allowing the user to take more control of the search strategy.

RECOMMENDATIONS

As a result of this study, I recommend that the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC) contract with Dr. Richard Marcus to develop a CONIT or ASSIST-like interface for the on-line Data Base of Data Bases on the Gateway. Such a custom-developed interface would possess the features that are perceived to be essential by the potential users of the on-line version of the directory (the top 15 requirements of Table 10). Those features of CONIT and ASSIST which the users did not rank highly in this study would not need to be included in the new interface.

The benefits of the development and incorporation of this interface into the Data Base of Data Bases on the Gateway would be as follows:

- DTIC would be placed in the forefront of the developing technology in interfaces and human/computer interactions.
- 2. DTIC would gain experience from participating in the development of this interface, and the benefits of that experience could be applied elsewhere in DTIC.
- 3. A help feature and a feature to explain user errors on this interface would ease the burden of providing hotline assistance to users of the Data Base of Data Bases.
- 4. The "user-friendly" interface would somewhat mitigate the need for DTIC to provide costly training before a user could begin to search the Data Base of Data Bases.
- 5. The interface would reduce the difficulty of searching by allowing the user to make queries in a common language and receive results in the same language.

- 6. More data bases would be accessible to more users and thus more information would be available.
- 7. Through increased use of the Data Base of Data Bases, a duplication of effort by users could be lessened or avoided.

The custom-developed interface for the Data Base of Data Bases on the Gateway would contain features as specified by the users in this study. However, as Dr. Marcus has pointed out, "users may not be able to predict usage modes -- especially where new designs and functionality are desirable and likely."26 The potential users in this study have indicated which features seem desirable to them, but they may have ranked a feature conservatively if it was one they had never heard of, or could not imagine, or did not believe that present technology would support. A comment often made by participants when a particularly sophisticated feature was mentioned was, "That would be great, if it worked." Many of the participants could not believe that all the features mentioned in questions number 34-60 of the questionnaire were possible in an interface or the host computer within which the interface would reside. Therefore, I recommend that the final decision on the type of interface that is used for the on-line version of the directory on the Gateway be made by those closely associated with the directory and the Gateway. But the wishes of the potential users, as represented in this study, should weigh heavily in that decision-making process.

As a methodology, this study was exploratory in nature. Due to the method employed-mailing out a standardized questionnaire and collecting responses over the telephone-a high number of responses were gathered in a limited period of time, and participants who had questions were more

likely to ask them than they would have been if they were not contacted directly. Therefore, the results of this study can be considered credible. I recommend this methodology for similar studies, however, a broader sample group, especially of end users, should be used when possible.

Appendix A - Questionnaire

1. Name of Respondent:
2. Name of Organization:
Hi! My name is Georgene Chastain, and I'm calling from the Defense
Technical Information Center. I am working on a project to identify
user requirements for searching a <u>Directory of DoD-Sponsored R&D Data</u>
Bases on the Defense Gateway Computer System. You were suggested as a
person likely to have an interest in the directory and the gateway.
3. Have you had an opportunity to look at the directory?
NO YES (Go to 6)
4. Would you be willing to answer some questions about it at a future
date?
NO (Go to CLOSING) YES
5. The questions will take about 15 minutes of your time. When would
be the best time to call you?
6. The questions will take about 15 minutes of your time. Is now a
good time?
NO (Go to 7) YES (Go to 8)
7. When would be a good time to call you?

8. Approximate number of people in organization:
9. Are you a member or supervisor of the library staff?
NO (Go to 13) YES
10. How many individuals in the library do on-line searching of data
bases?
11. Would you please name the data bases which you and/or your staff
search.
12. I am going to read a short list of hardware. Please indicate
whether or not you have any of each type available to you and/or your
staff.
Dedicated terminal (e.g. Uniscope-DROLS, Beehive-OCLC)
NO YES How Many?
Dial-up terminal (e.g. TI Silent 700, HP, etc.)
NO YES How Many?

Communicating microcomputers (NOTE: a microcomputer with a smart
modem or an acoustic coupler and communications software.)
NO YES How Many?
Dedicated microcomputers
NO YES How Many?
(Go to 18)
13. I am going to read you a list of terms which can be used to
describe professional functions. Please indicate whether or not each
term describes your present work. N Y
Planner
Marketer
Scientist or Engineer
Other
14. Do you do on-line searching of data bases?
NO (Go to 17) YES
15. Would you please name the data bases which you search?

10. I am going to read a since	ort fist of hardw	vare. Flease indicate	е
whether or not you have any	of each type ava	ailable to you and/or	your
staff.			
Dedicated terminal (e.g. Uni	scope-DROLS, Bee	ehive-OCLC)	
NO NO	YES	How Many?	-1
Dial-up terminal (e.g. TI Si	lent 700, HP, et	:c.)	
NO	YES	How Many?	-
Communicating microcomputers	(NOTE: a microc	computer with a smart	
modem or an acoustic coupler	and communicati	ons software.)	
NO	YES	How Many?	-
Dedicated microcomputers			
NO	YES	How Many?	
(Go to 18)			
17. Who does on-line searchi	ng of data bases	for you?	

18. The <u>Directory of DoD-Sponsored R&D Data Bases</u> is a listing of						
DoD's R&D data bases. Each entry contains information such as the						
data base name, dates of coverage, points of contact,						
hardware/software configurati	ion, and a des	scription of the data base.				
Agency, data base, and subject	ct indices are	e provided. The subject				
coverage includes meteorology	, weapon syst	ems, hazardous materials,				
medicine, oceanography, anter	nnas, survival	oility, reliability, and				
chemistry. Do you presently	use the <u>Direc</u>	etory of DoD-Sponsored R&D				
<u>Data Bases</u> ?						
NO (Go to 20)	YES					
19. I am going to read you a	list of the i	ndices which are in the				
directory. Please indicate v	whether or not	you have had occasion to				
use each index.	N	Y				
Data Base Index						
Organization Index						
Subject Index						
20. Do you expect to be using the directory in the future?						
NO (Go to 22)	YES					
21. If the directory were available on-line, would you still need the						
hard copy directory?						
NO	YES					

22. If the directory were available on-line and accessible through
dial-up terminals, would your organization use it?
NO YES
The Defense Gateway Computer System is being developed to make it
easier to access, reformat, and analyze information from data bases
of interest to the DoD community. At the present time, a capability
has been developed to automatically access, reformat, and analyze
information in the Defense RDT&E On-Line System (DROLS), NASA/RECON,
and DOE/RECON. The Directory of DoD-Sponsored R&D Data Bases will
eventually be made available on-line on the gateway. This on-line
version will be called the data base of data bases. Some of the data
bases described in the directory will be accessible through the
gateway.
23. When the directory is available on-line through the gateway, will
you be the one searching it?
NO YES (Go to 25)
24. (a) Would you want someone to search it for you?
NO (Go to CLOSING) YES
(b) Please give me the name of the person who will be searching
it.

25. (If the respondent is a member	or supervisor of the li	brary staff
go to 26, else go to 27.)	[see 9]	
26. If the on-line directory were e	asy to use, do you thin	k your
library users and/or researchers wo	uld use it?	
NO	YES	
27. I am going to read a list of the	e fields in the directo	rv. After T
have read each field name, please in		
likely to search that field.		,
	N	Y
Data Base Name:		
Acronym:		
Update frequency:		
Beginning date:		
Ending date:		
Size:		
Data Base Producer Name:		
Data Base Producer Address:		
Data Base Producer Contact:	-	

	N	Y
Data Base Distributor Name:		
Data Base Distributor Address:		
Data Base Distributor Contact:		
Data Base Generator Name:		
Data Base Generator Address:		
Data Base Generator Contact:		
Availability of the data base:		
Descriptors:		
Data Base Type:		
Code Character Set:		
Density:		
Number of Tracks:		
Labeled:		
Programming Language:		
Computer:		
Storage Media:		
Input Media:		

	N	Y
Output Media:		
Documentation:		
Classification Restrictions:		
Abstract:		
28. Are there any additional fields	which you would lik	e to see
included in the on-line version?		
NO (Go to 30) Y	ES	
29. Please describe those additional	fields.	
30. (a) Are there any fields in the	directory which you	would not want
to display?		
NO (Go to 31) Y	ES	
(b) Which ones?		
Data Base Name:		
Acronym:		
Update frequency:		

Beginning date:	
Ending date:	
Size:	
Data Base Producer Name:	
Data Base Producer Address:	
Data Base Producer Contact:	
Data Base Distributor Name:	
Data Base Distributor Address:	
Data Base Distributor Contact:	
Data Base Generator Name:	
Data Base Generator Address:	
Data Base Generator Contact:	
Availability of the data base:	
Descriptors:	
Data Base Type:	
Code Character Set:	
Density:	

Number of Tracks:	
Labeled:	
Programming Language:	
Computer:	
Storage Media:	
Input Media:	
Output Media:	
Documentation:	
Classification Restrictions:	
Abstract:	
31. Are there any additional fields which you would li	ke to see
included in the on-line version?	
NO (Go to 33) YES	
32. Please describe those additional fields.	

not be useful for you and five meaning that the feature would be								
essential for you.								
34.	34. a system which requires a minimum amount of keyboarding.							
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
35.	a system t	hat allows	the user	to use eit	her comma	nds or menus.		
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
36.	a system t	hat is com	mand-drive	en only.				
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
37.	a system t	hat is men	u-driven o	only.				
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
38 . a	system w	ith a commo	on retriev	al languag	e using s	imple		
commands.								
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		

33. I am going to read a list of features which could be included in

the on-line version of the directory. I would like you to rank each

feature on a scale of one to five, one meaning that the feature would

39. a system that accepts user-defined commands.							
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	
40. a	system th	nat allows	the user t	o choose an	nong comm	and languages.	
Thus	the user	could use	the command	language o	of DOE/RE	CON, NASA/RECON,	
DIALO	G, DROLS,	etc. to se	earch the d	irectory.			
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	
41. a	system th	at allows	the user to	o choose an	ong leve	ls of searching	
41. a system that allows the user to choose among levels of searching expertise, for example, beginner, intermediate, expert.							
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	
		h1	L1	<u></u>		<u></u>	
42. a system that accepts unstructured natural English language							
queri	es and giv	es natural	English la	anguage rep	lies.		
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	
43. a system that compensates for spelling errors.							
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	
44. a system which poses questions to the user and uses the responses							
to formulate the search strategy.							
	1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion	

45. a system that can suggest related terms for your search							
strategy.	·						
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
46. a system that gives feedback on the search strategy, suggesting							
ways to improve it.							
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
47. a system which allows the user to choose between the system							
selecting the d	lata base o	r the user	selecting	the data	base to		
search.							
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
48. a system that automatically decides which data base to search.							
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
49. a system that displays the process it followed in order to obtain							
the search results.							
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
50. a system which ranks retrieved items according to their							
relevancy.							
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		

51.	а	system	which expla	ins user	errors.		
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
52.	a	system	which include	des a hei	lp feature.		
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
53.	а	system	which stores	the sea	arch strategy	for lat	er use.
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
54. a system which allows the user to define output formats.							
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
55. a system which allows the storage of user-defined formats.							
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
56.	а	system	which has a	menu of	canned forma	ts.	
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion
57.	a :	system v	which allows	the use	r to create	charts.	
		1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion

58. a syste	em which allow	s the user	to create	graphs.			
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
59. a syste	em which allows	s the user	to downloa	ad inform	ation.		
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
60. a syste	em which allows	the user	to reforma	at the in	formation.		
1	2	3	4	5	No Opinion		
61. Are there any additional requirements which you would like to see							
included in the on-line version?							
NO (Go to CLOSING) YES							
62. Please describe those additional requirements.							
That's all	the questions	I have to	ask vou.	You have	heen vorv		

That's all the questions I have to ask you. You have been very helpful. Thank you very much. Good-bye!

Appendix B List of Users Questioned

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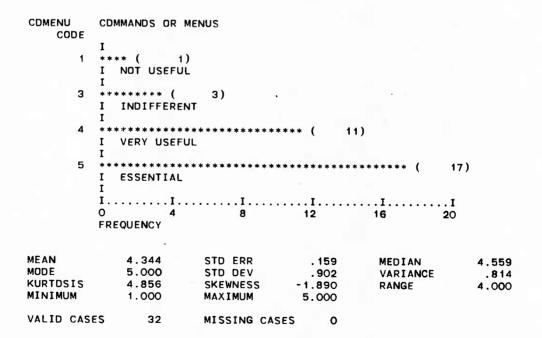
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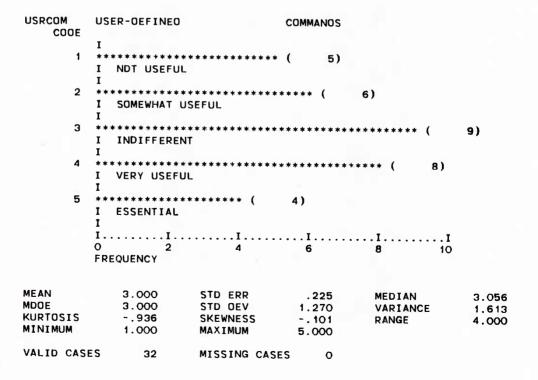
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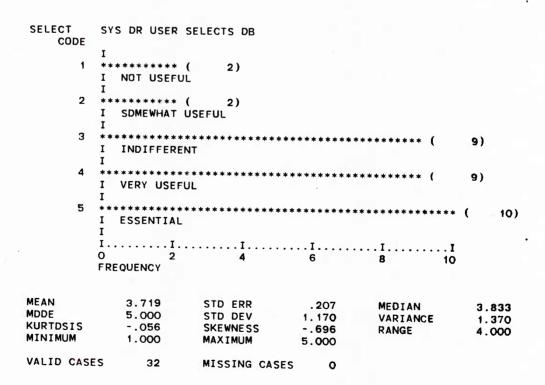
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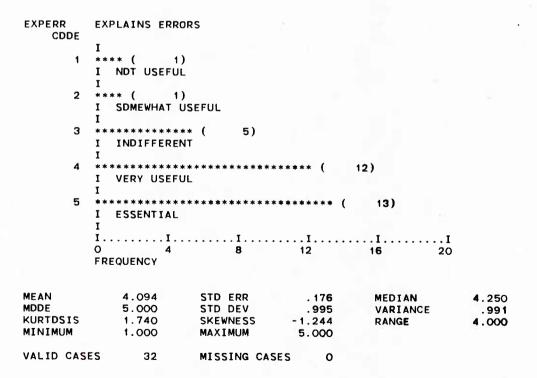


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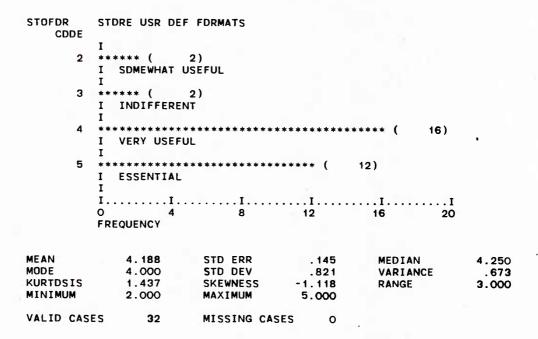
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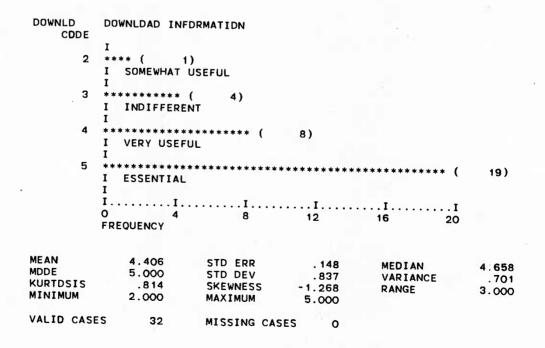
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ETA = .07791 WITH KEY

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8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.47874 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .6484 CRAMER'S V = .27832 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .26813 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .04762 WITH COM DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER OEPENOENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .03333 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .03217 WITH COM OEPENOENT. = .07775 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .04551 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.08201. SIGNIFICANCE = .3084 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.08984. SIGNIFICANCE = .3084 GAMMA = -.14650SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.11111 WITH COM OEPENOENT. = -.06053 WITH USER OEPENOENT. SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.07836 ETA = .03424 WITH COM DEPENDENT. = .27832 WITH USER OEPENOENT. PEARSON'S R = -.03424 SIGNIFICANCE = .4262

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SDMEWHAT USEFUL	70.0 I	3 I 30.0 I 33.3 I 9.4 I	10 31.3
3 I INDIFFERENT I	5 i 1 100.0 i	I 0 I I 0. I	5 15.6
VERY USEFUL I	66.7 I	2 I 33.3 I 22.2 I 6.3 I	6 18.8
5 I ESSENTIAL I I I	1 I 33.3 I 4.3 I	2 I 66.7 I 22.2 I	3 9.4
COLUMN TOTAL	23 71.9	9 28.1	32 100.0

8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .844 RAW CHI SQUARE = 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .3672 4.29758 WITH CRAMER'S V = .36647 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .34409 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH MENU DEPENOENT. . 11111 WITH USER OEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .03226 UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .05445 WITH MENU OEPENOENT. = .14076 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .07853 KENOALL'S TAU B = .11191. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2450 KENOALL'S TAU C = . 12500. SIGNIFICANCE = .2450 GAMMA = .19512SDMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = .15459 WITH MENU **OEPENOENT.** .08101 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = . 10631 ETA = .15735 WITH MENU OEPENOENT. .36647 WITH USER OEPENOENT. PEARSDN'S R = .15735 SIGNIFICANCE = .1949

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TOTA	AL		71.9	28.1		100.0

6 DUT OF 8 (75.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 RAW CHI SQUARE = 7.68543 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = CRAMER'S V = .49007 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .44007 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .05882 WITH CDMRET OEPENOENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .11538 = ,22222 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .10559 WITH CDMRET OFFENDENT. DEPENDENT. = .20534 WITH USER UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .13946 KENOALL'S TAU B = -.38702. SIGNIFICANCE = .0110 KENOALL'S TAU C = -.39453. SIGNIFICANCE = GAMMA = -.66013 SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.48792 WITH COMRET DEPENDENT. = -.30699 WITH USER OEPENDENT. SDMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.37687ETA = .48386 WITH COMRET DEPENDENT. = .49007 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.48386 SIGNIFICANCE = .0025

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I		6.3 I	
COLUMN	23	9	32
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TOTAL	, , , ,	20.1	100.0

8 DUT DF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = 1.125 RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.51744 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .3405 CRAMER'S V = .37573 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .35172 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .04348 WITH USRCDM DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .03125 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .05612 WITH USRCDM DEPENDENT. = .14804 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .08139 KENDALL'S TAU B = .13189. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2070 KENDALL'S TAU C = . 14844. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2070 GAMMA = .22619 SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .18357 WITH USRCDM OEPENOENT. = .09476 WITH USER OEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .12500 ETA = .16681 WITH USRCOM DEPENDENT. .37573 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = .16681 SIGNIFICANCE = .1808

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VERY USEFUL	1	11 11 1 1 91.7 1 1 47.8 1 34.4 1	1 1 I 1 8.3 I 1 11.1 I	12 37.5
ESSENTIAL	1	11 91.7 47.8 34.4	1 1 I 8.3 I 11.1 I	12 37.5
COLU TOT		23 71.9	9 28.1	32 100.0

8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 22.93076 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .0001 CRAMER'S V = .84651 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .64610 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .25000 WITH CHOCOM DEPENDENT. = .77778 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .41379 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .29935 WITH CHOCDM DEPENDENT. 63791 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .40748 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.54691. SIGNIFICANCE = .0005 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.57422. SIGNIFICANCE = .0005 GAMMA = -.79459SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.71014 WITH CHOCOM DEPENDENT. = ~.42120 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.52878ETA = .58509 WITH CHOCDM DEPENDENT. = .84651 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.58509 SIGNIFICANCE = .0002

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5 OUT OF 8 (62.5%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 3 DEGREES OF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .1206 RAW CHI SQUARE = 5.82287 WITH CRAMER'S V = .42657 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .39237 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .20000 WITH LEVEL DEPENDENT.
LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .13793 **OEPENDENT.** = .00000 WITH USER = .17600 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .08358 WITH LEVEL UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .11333 KENDALL'S TAU B = .18419. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1349 KENDALL'S TAU C = .19531. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1349 GAMMA = .32051 DEPENDENT. 14045 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .24155 WITH LEVEL SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .17762 = .42657 WITH USER DEPENDENT. ETA = .19807 WITH LEVEL DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = .19807 SIGNIFICANCE = .1386

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8 DUT DF 10 (80.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = 1.125 RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.11583 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .5386 CRAMER'S V = .31204CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .29788 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .08696 WITH NATLAN DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .06250 UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .03192 WITH NATLAN DEPENDENT. = .08419 WITH USER UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .04629 DEPENDENT. KENDALL'S TAU B # .01735. SIGNIFICANCE = . 4572 KENDALL'S TAU C = .01953. SIGNIFICANCE = .4572 $\mathsf{GAMMA} = .02959$ SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .02415 WITH NATLAN DEPENDENT. = .01247 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .01645 = .31204 WITH USER DEPENDENT. ETA = .00164 WITH NATLAN DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = .00165 SIGNIFICANCE = .4964

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ESSENTIAL	1		3 I 30.0 I 33.3 I	10 31.3
	CDLUMN TOTAL	23 71.9	9 28.1	32 100.0

8 DUT DF 10 (80.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = 1.125 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.28351 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .6838 CRAMER'S V = .26713 CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .25808 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH SPLERR DEPENDENT.
LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .02249 WITH SPLERR DEPENDENT. .05904 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .03257 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.09743. SIGNIFICANCE = .2733 KENOALL'S TAU C = -.10938. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2733 GAMMA = -.17073 DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.13527 WITH SPLERR OFFENDENT. = -.07018 WITH USER SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.09241ETA = .12954 WITH SPLERR DEPENDENT. = .26713 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.12954 SIGNIFICANCE = .2399

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8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = 1.406 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.75071 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .6004 CRAMER'S V = .29319CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .28135 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .04348 WITH QUEST DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER OEPENOENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .03125 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .02661 WITH QUEST DEPENDENT. = .07090 WITH USER OEPENOENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .03870 KENOALL'S TAU B = .09682. SIGNIFICANCE = .2740 SIGNIFICANCE = KENDALL'S TAU C = .10938. .2740 GAMMA = .16667 OEPENOENT. = .06931 WITH USER OEPENOENT. SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = .13527 WITH QUEST SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = .09165 = .29319 WITH USER ' OEPENOENT. ETA = .09881 WITH QUEST DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = .09881 SIGNIFICANCE = .2953

USER TYPE BY USER USER COUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED END-USER ROW CDL PCT IIARY 2 I TOT PCT I 1 I RELTER ----I 1 I 1 I I 50.0 I 50.0 I NDT USEFUL I 4.3 I 11.1 I I 3.1 I 3.1 I -I----I 0 I 1 I · 2 I SOMEWHAT USEFUL I .0 I 100.0 I .0 I 11.1 I T I .O I 3.1 I -I----I 3 I 2 I 3 I I 60.0 I 40.0 I 15.6 INDIFFERENT I 13.0 I 22.2 I I 9.4 I 6.3 I ----I----I 2 I 9 I 4 I I 81.8 I 18.2 I 34.4 VERY USEFUL I 39.1 I 22.2 I I 28.1 I 6.3 I -I----I----I 10 I 3 I 5 I I 76.9 I 23.1 I 40.6 ESSENTIAL I 43.5 I 33.3 I I 31.3 I 9.4 I -I----I 9 23 32 COLUMN TOTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0 8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.07965 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .3953 CRAMER'S V = .35706 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .33626 **GEPENDENT.** ± .11111 WITH USER LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH RELTER GEPENDENT.

LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .03571 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .04845 WITH RELTER DEPENDENT. = .10639 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .06658 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.19264. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1239 SIGNIFICANCE = KENDALL'S TAU C = -.20313. GAMMA = -.34211 = -.14773 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.25121 WITH RELTER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -. 18605 DEPENDENT. = .35706 WITH USER ETA = .24867 WITH RELTER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.24867 SIGNIFICANCE = .0850

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CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .40934 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .10000 WITH FEEDBK DEPENDENT. .22222 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .13793 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .07171 WITH FEEDBK DEPENDENT.
UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .10218 = .17768 WITH USER DEPENDENT. KENDALL'S TAU B = -.10326. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2636 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.11328. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2636 GAMMA = -.17576 SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.14010 WITH FEEDBK DEPENDENT. = -.07612 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.09864 ETA = .07648 WITH FEEDBK DEPENDENT. .44865 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = -.07648 SIGNIFICANCE = .3387

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ESSENTIAL	•	I 70.0 I 30.4 I 21.9	I 30.0 I I 30.3 I I 33.3 I I 9.4 I	10 31.3
	CDLUMN TOTAL	23	9 28.1	32 100.0

10 (70.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .8179 RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.54933 WITH CRAMER'S V = .22004 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .21490 DEPENDENT. _ = .00000 WITH USER LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH SELECT DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 DEPENDENT. .05372 WITH USER UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .02242 WITH SELECT DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .03163 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.01074. SIGNIFICANCE = .4739 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.01172. SIGNIFICANCE = GAMMA = -.01961 = -.00796 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.01449 WITH SELECT DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.01027 = .22004 WITH USER DEPENDENT. ETA = .02828 WITH SELECT DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = -.02828 SIGNIFICANCE = .4389

USER CDUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED ENO-USER ROW TOTAL COL PCT IIARY TOT PCT I 1 I SYSSEL ----I 1 I 12 I 5 I NOT USEFUL T 70.6 I 29.4 I 53.1 I 52.2 I 55.6 I I 37.5 I 15.6 I -I-----I 2 I 1 I 1 I SDMEWHAT USEFUL I 50.0 I 50.0 I I 4.3 I 11.1 I I 3.1 I 3.1 I -I-----I 3 I 4 I 1 I I 80.0 I 20.0 I 15.6 INDIFFERENT I 17.4 I 11.1 I I 12.5 I 3.1 I -I----I 5 I 1 I 4 I I 83.3 I 16.7 I 18.8 **VERY USEFUL** I 21.7 I 11.1 I I 15.6 I 3.1 I -1----I 5 I 1 I 1 I ESSENTIAL I 50.0 I 50.0 I 6.3 I 4.3 I 11.1 I I 3.1 I 3.1 I -I----I 9 23 COLUMN 32 28.1 100.0 TDTAL 71.9

9 DUT OF 10 (90.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.51376 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .8242 CRAMER'S V = .21750 CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .21253 **OEPENOENT.** LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH SYSSEL DEPENDENT. .00000 WITH USER LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 OEPENOENT. = .03869 WITH USER UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .01787 WITH SYSSEL DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .02445 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.03047. SIGNIFICANCE = .4274 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.03125. SIGNIFICANCE = .4274 GAMMA = -.05882= -.02402 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.03865 WITH SYSSEL DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.02963 = .21750 WITH USER DEPENDENT. ETA = .03409 WITH SYSSEL DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = -.03409 SIGNIFICANCE = .4265

USER CDUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED END-USER RDW CDL PCT IIARY TDT PCT I 1 I PROCES ----I----I 1 I 2 I NDT USEFUL I 66.7 I 33.3 I I 8.7 I 11.1 I I 6.3 I 3.1 I -I----I----I 2 I 1 I O I SOMEWHAT USEFUL I 100.0 I .O I I 4.3 I .O I I 3.1 I .0 I -I----I-3 I 2 I 3 I INDIFFERENT I 60.0 I 40.0 I 15.6 I 13.0 I 22.2 I Ī 9.4 I 6.3 I -I----I 4 I 6 I 2 I VERY USEFUL I 75.0 I 25.0 I 25.0 I 26.1 I 22.2 I I 18.8 I 6.3 I -I-----I 4 I 5 I 11 I ESSENTIAL I 73.3 I 26.7 I 46.9 I 47.8 I 44.4 I I 34.4 I 12.5 I -I-----I 9 23 CDLUMN 32 TDTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

8 DUT DF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = .83478 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .9337 CRAMER'S V = . 16151 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .15945 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH PRDCES DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .01277 WITH PROCES DEPENDENT. .02841 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .01762 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.04087. SIGNIFICANCE = . 4028 KENOALL'S TAU C = -.04297. SIGNIFICANCE = .4028 GAMMA = -.07692SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.05314 WITH PROCES OFFENDENT. = -.03143 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.03950ETA = .03958 WITH PRDCES DEPENDENT. . 16151 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = -.03958 SIGNIFICANCE = .4148

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3 INDIFFERENT		83.3	1 1 I I 16.7 I I 11.1 I	6 18.8
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5 ESSENTIAL]]]]	70.0 1 30.4 1 21.9 1	3 I 30.0 I 33.3 I 9.4 I	10 31.3
COLUMN TOTAL	•	23	9 28.1	32 100.0

PEARSON'S R = -.26618 SIGNIFICANCE = .0704

10 (80.0%) DF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 6.49619 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .1650 CRAMER'S V = .45056 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .41079 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .09091 WITH RANKS DEPENDENT. = .22222 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .12903 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .06956 WITH RANKS DEPENDENT. 17050 WITH USER OEPENOENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .09881 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.16649. SIGNIFICANCE = KENOALL'S TAU C = -.18359. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1542 GAMMA = -.28485 SDMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.22705 WITH RANKS OEPENOENT. = -.12208 WITH USER OEPENDENT. SDMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = -.15878 ETA = .26618 WITH RANKS DEPENDENT. = .45056 WITH USER OEPENOENT.

USER CDUNT I RDW PCT IINTERMED END-USER RDW CDL PCT IIARY TDT PCT I 1 I 2 I **EXPERR** 1 I 1 I O I NOT USEFUL I 100.0 I . O I 3.1 I 4.3 I .O I I 3.1 I .O I -T----T-2 I 1 I 0 I SDMEWHAT USEFUL I 100.0 I .O I 3.1 4.3 I I .O I 3.1 I .O I - I -3 I 4 I 1 I INOIFFERENT I 80.0 I 20.0 I 15.6 I 17.4 I 11.1 I I 12.5 I 3.1 I 4 I 10 I 2 I 12 VERY USEFUL I 83.3 I 16.7 I 37.5 I 43.5 I 22.2 I I 31.3 I 6.3 I 7 I 6 I 5 I ESSENTIAL I 53.8 I 46.2 I I 30.4 I 66.7 I I 21.9 I 18.8 I -I-----T CDLUMN 23 9 32 TDTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

8 DUT DF 10 (80.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.81558 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .4315 CRAMER'S V = .34531 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .32640 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .15789 WITH EXPERR DEPENDENT.
LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .10714 .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .05369 WITH EXPERR DEPENDENT. = .11209 WITH USER **OEPENDENT.** UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .07260 KENDALL'S TAU B = .29691. SIGNIFICANCE = .0386 KENDALL'S TAU C = .30859. SIGNIFICANCE = .0386 GAMMA = .56028 SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .38164 WITH EXPERR DEPENDENT. 23099 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .28780 ETA = .29484 WITH EXPERR DEPENDENT. . 34531 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = .29484 SIGNIFICANCE = .0507

COUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED ENO-USER ROW COL PCT IIARY ' TOTAL TOT PCT I 1 I 2 I HELP -----I 1 I 1 I O I NOT USEFUL I 100.0 I .O I 3.1 I 4.3 I .O I I 3.1 I .O I -1-----1 2 I 1 I O I SOMEWHAT USEFUL I 100.0 I .O I 3.1 I 4.3 I .O I I 3.1 I .O I 3 I 1 I 3 I INDIFFERENT I 75.0 I 25.0 I 12.5 I 13.0 I 11.1 I I 9.4 I 3.1 I -I-----I 4 I 13 I 2 I VERY USEFUL I 86.7 I 13.3 I 46.9 I 56.5 I 22.2 I I 40.6 I 6.3 I -I----I 5 I 6 I 5 I 11 ESSENTIAL I 45.5 I 54.5 I 34.4 I 21.7 I 66.7 I I 15.6 I 18.8 I -I-----I 23 9 COLUMN 32 TOTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 6.22386 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .1830 CRAMER'S V = .44102 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .40352 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .23529 WITH HELP DEPENDENT. .11111 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .19231 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .08586 WITH HELP OEPENOENT. = .17324 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .11481 KENDALL'S TAU B = .35200. SIGNIFICANCE = .0185 KENDALL'S TAU C = .35938. SIGNIFICANCE = GAMMA = .62162 SDMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = .44444 WITH HELP OEPENOENT. = .27879 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = .34264 ETA = .33046 WITH HELP DEPENDENT. = .44102 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSON'S R = .33046 SIGNIFICANCE = .0324

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VERY USEFUL	71.4 I	2 I 28.6 I 22.2 I 6.3 I	7 21.9
5 I ESSENTIAL I I I I	78.9 I	4 I 21.1 I 44.4 I	19 59.4
COLUMN TDTAL	23 71.9	9 28.1	32 100.0

7 OUT DF 10 (70.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.36453 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .3589 CRAMER'S V = .36931 CONTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .34644 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH STDRE DEPENDENT. .11111 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .04545 UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .06351 WITH STDRE DEPENDENT. = .11957 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .08296 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.21339. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1041 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.20703. SIGNIFICANCE = . 1041 GAMMA = -.39850SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = -.25604 WITH STDRE DEPENDENT. = -.17785 WITH USER OEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.20990ETA = .26144 WITH STDRE DEPENDENT. 36931 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = -.26144 SIGNIFICANCE = .0742

FDRMAT USR DEF DUTPUT FDRMATS BY USER USER CDUNT I RDW PCT IINTERMED END-USER RDW CDL PCT IIARY TDTAL TDT PCT I 1 I FDRMAT ----I----I 3 I 2 I 2 INDIFFERENT I 100.0 I .0 1 6.3 I 8.7 I .O I I 6.3 I 4 I 4 I 4 I VERY USEFUL I 50.0 I 50.0 I 25.0 I 17.4 I 44.4 I I 12.5 I 12.5 I -I----I 5 I 17 I 5 I ESSENTIAL I 77.3 I 22.7 I 68.8 I 73.9 I 55.6 I I 53.1 I 15.6 I -I----I COLUMN 23 9 TDTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

3 DUT DF 6 (50.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.99341 WITH 2 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .2239 CRAMER'S V = .30585 CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .29248 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH FDRMAT DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .06736 WITH FDRMAT DEPENDENT. = .08815 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .07636 KENDALL'S TAU B = -.13573. SIGNIFICANCE = .2195 KENDALL'S TAU C = -.11719. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2195 GAMMA = -.28302SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = -.14493 WITH FDRMAT DEPENDENT. = -.12712 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = -.13544 ETA = .07246 WITH FDRMAT DEPENDENT. .30585 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = -.07246 SIGNIFICANCE = .3467

PEARSDN'S R = .02689 SIGNIFICANCE = .4419

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USER COUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED ENO-USER ROW COL PCT IIARY TOTAL TDT PCT I 1 I 2 I MENFOR -----I-----I 1 I 1 I NOT USEFUL I 100.0 I .O I I 4.3 I .o I I 3.1 I -I-----I 1 I 2 I SOMEWHAT USEFUL I 100.0 I 3.1 .O I I 4.3 I .o I I 3.1 I .O I 3 I 3 I INOIFFERENT I 60.0 I 40.0 I 15.6 I 13.0 I 22.2 I I 9.4 I 6.3 I 4 I 10 I 2 I VERY USEFUL I 83.3 I 16.7 I 37.5 I 43.5 I 22.2 I I 31.3 I 6.3 I 5 I 8 I 5 I ESSENTIAL I 61.5 I 38.5 I 40.6 I 34.8 I 55.6 I I 25.0 I 15.6 I -I----I 23 9 COLUMN 32 TOTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

10 (80.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.59789 WITH 4 OEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .6272 CRAMER'S V = .28493 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .27402 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .10526 WITH MENFDR DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .07143 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .03977 WITH MENFOR DEPENDENT. .08304 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .05379 KENDALL'S TAU B = .13906. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2039 KENDALL'S TAU C = .14453. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2039 GAMMA = .26241 SDMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = .17874 WITH MENFOR OEPENOENT. = .10819 WITH USER **OEPENOENT.** SDMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = .13479 ETA = .15296 WITH MENFOR OFFENDENT. = .28493 WITH USER **OEPENDENT.** PEARSON'S R = .15296 SIGNIFICANCE = .2016

USER CDUNT I ROW PCT IINTERMED END-USER RDW COL PCT IIARY TDTAL TOT PCT I I CHARTS 1 I 1 I 1 I NOT USEFUL I 50.0 I 50.0 I 6.3 I 4.3 I 11.1 I I 3.1 I 3.1 I -I-----I 2 I 5 I SOMEWHAT USEFUL I 83.3 I 16.7 I 18.8 I 21.7 I 11.1 I I 15.6 I 3.1 I 3 I 9 I 2 I 11 INDIFFERENT I 81.8 I 18.2 I 34.4 I 39.1 I 22.2 I I 28.1 I 6.3 I -I----I 4 I 4 I 2 I VERY USEFUL I 66.7 I 33.3 I 18.8 I 17.4 I 22.2 I I 12.5 I 6.3 I -I----I 4 I 3 I 5 I ESSENTIAL I 57.1 I 42.9 I 21.9 I 17.4 I 33.3 I I 12.5 I 9.4 I -I-----I 9 COLUMN 23 32 TDTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0

PEARSON'S R = .12839 SIGNIFICANCE = .2419

10 (80.0%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. 8 OUT OF MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.23318 WITH 4 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .6930 CRAMER'S V = .26417CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .25541 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .04762 WITH CHARTS DEPENDENT.
LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .03333 = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .02306 WITH CHARTS DEPENDENT. = .05825 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .03305 KENDALL'S TAU B = . 13039. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2115 KENDALL'S TAU C = .14453. SIGNIFICANCE = .2115 GAMMA = .22699SOMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .17874 WITH CHARTS DEPENDENT. = .09512 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .1241647 41 ETA = .12839 WITH CHARTS DEPENDENT. = .26417 WITH USER DEPENDENT.

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7 OUT OF 10 (70.0%) OF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .563 RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.82094 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .7686 CRAMER'S V = .23855 CDNTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .23204 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .04762 WITH GRAPHS DEPENDENT. = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .03333 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .01863 WITH GRAPHS DEPENDENT. .04639 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .02658 KENDALL'S TAU B = .06022. SIGNIFICANCE = . 3561 KENDALL'S TAU C = .06641. SIGNIFICANCE = . 3561 GAMMA = .10559 SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .08213 WITH GRAPHS DEPENDENT. = .04416 WITH USER DEPENDENT. SOMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .05743 ' ETA = .07537 WITH GRAPHS DEPENDENT. .23855 WITH USER DEPENDENT. PEARSDN'S R = .07537 SIGNIFICANCE = .3409

GAMMA = .56757

SDMERS'S D (ASYMMETRIC) = .30435 WITH DDWNLD

PEARSDN'S R = .28210 SIGNIFICANCE = .0589

SDMERS'S D (SYMMETRIC) = .25301 ETA = .28210 WITH DDWNLD DEPENDENT.

DDWNLDAD INFORMATION BY USER USER TYPE CDUNT I RDW PCT IINTERMED END-USER RDW CDL PCT IIARY TDTAL TDT PCT I 1 I DDWNLD 1 I 2 I O I SDMEWHAT USEFUL I 100.0 I .0 I 3.1 I 4.3 I .0 I I 3.1 I .O I 3 I 4 I 0 I INDIFFERENT I 100.0 I .0 I 12.5 I 17.4 I .O I I 12.5 I .O I 6 I 4 I VERY USEFUL I 75.0 I 25.0 I I 26.1 I 22.2 I I 18.8 I 6.3 I 5 I 12 I 7 I ESSENTIAL I 63.2 I 36.8 I 59.4 I 52.2 I 77.8 I I 37.5 I 21.9 I -I-----I CDLUMN 23 9 32 TDTAL 71.9 28.1 100.0 8 (62.5%) DF THE VALID CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. 5 DUT DF MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 3 DEGREES DF FREEDDM. SIGNIFICANCE = .4386 2.70938 WITH CRAMER'S V = .29098 CDNTINGENCY CDEFFICIENT = .27939 LAMBDA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH DDWNLD DEPENDENT.
LAMBDA (SYMMETRIC) = .00000 = .00000 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .06130 WITH DDWNLD DEPENDENT. = .10569 WITH USER DEPENDENT. UNCERTAINTY CDEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .07760 KENDALL'S TAU B = .25669. SIGNIFICANCE = .0667 KENDALL'S TAU C = .24609. SIGNIFICANCE =

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8 OUT OF 10 (80.0%) OF THE VALIO CELLS HAVE EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY LESS THAN 5.0. MINIMUM EXPECTED CELL FREQUENCY = .281 RAW CHI SQUARE = 5.82287 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. SIGNIFICANCE = .2128 CRAMER'S V = .42657 CONTINGENCY COEFFICIENT = .39237 LAMBOA (ASYMMETRIC) = .00000 WITH REFORM DEPENDENT. = .11111 WITH USER OEPENOENT. LAMBOA (SYMMETRIC) = .04000 UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (ASYMMETRIC) = .08531 WITH REFORM DEPENDENT. = .18427 WITH USER OEPENOENT. UNCERTAINTY COEFFICIENT (SYMMETRIC) = .11663 KENOALL'S TAU B = .11325. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2486 KENDALL'S TAU C = .11719. SIGNIFICANCE = . 2486 GAMMA = .21739 SOMERS'S O (ASYMMETRIC) = .14493 WITH REFORM OFFENDENT. = .08850 WITH USER OEPENOENT. SOMERS'S O (SYMMETRIC) = .10989 ETA = .00963 WITH REFORM OEPENOENT. = .42657 WITH USER OEPENOENT. PEARSON'S R = .00963 SIGNIFICANCE = .4791

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